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OLIVE W. RUSSELL

INVENTORY OF TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF FITZWILLIAM, N. H., ON APRIL 1, 1947

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Adams, Kathrene		
Gilman place 1a	$2000	$82 00
Aldrich, Edward B.		
Camp, mowing and pasture	1500	
Cottage at lake	5500	287 00
Amenta, Charles A. & Freda M.		
Wilson pasture of Daley Estate 70a	200	
Cottage on Richmond road	1000	49 20
Anderson, Arnold		
Lot at lake of Arline H. Lotter	500	20 50
Anderson, William Estate		
Homeplace 20a	900	
Peak lot 21a	400	
Lee lot 20a	75	
Nutting lot 15a	100	
Chaplin lot 4a	25	
Warner Point lot 50a	250	
Streeter swamp 20a	25	
Plain land 10a	40	
Swamp meadow 4a	10	
Swamp land 10a	20	
Walter Michelson cottage	250	
Basil Bellis cottage	250	
Bent lot of Feldman 20a	50	
Land back of Bellis cottage 1a	10	
13 camps at Sip pond	1000	139 61
Anderson, Henry		
Homeplace 12a $700		
Clark, Gowan and Dunton lots 105a 200		
Land at Amidon bridge 20		
Ida L. Beals farm 38a 400	320	13 12
(Exempt $1,000)		
Angier, Wallace F.		
Home place 3½a 1700	700	
Whalen lot 75a	150	34 85
(Exempt $1,000)		
Angier, Rupert L.		
Cottage No. 2 at lake	1700	
Chase & Stone meadow 4a	25	
Lot west of railroad 33a	75	
Cottage and land east of road 1½ a	300	86 10
Angier, Rollin L.		
Homeplace 34a	3000	
Baker pasture 100a	200	
Moore mill lot ½a	25	
Armstrong lot ½a	100	
Mills and machinery	100	
May meadow 8a	10	
Quarry lot 1a	5	
Lot at lake	300	153 45
Asiala, Kalle Estate		
Homeplace 20a	1000	41 00
Asiala, Wilhelmina Estate		
Forristal lot 25a	150	6.15
Associated Sportsmen Club		
Derby Farm and mill lot	400	
Cottage	500	
Camp brook lot of R. W. Stone 10a	75	39 97
Aukstikalnis, Anthony & Mildred		
Lots 13, 14, 15 at Lake of Joslin	500	20 50
Autio, J. Alfred & Sylvester A.		
Homeplace and unfinished cottage 55a	1100	45 10
Autio, Jacob L.		

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Homeplace 2000 (Exempt $1,000)	1000	41 00
Ayers, Daniel J.		
Homeplace 24a	3000	123 00
Baldwin, George A.		
Homeplace 30a	2300	
1 horse	50	
4 cows	275	
Beebe meadow	50	
Wilkins lot	75	112 75
Baldwin, Carl & Evelyn		
Homeplace 2a	1900	77 90
Baldwin, Walter D.		
Lot on Winchendon road 5a	25	1 03
Baldwin, Edith T.		
Estabrook place 5a	4500	
Land and lake front west of Lake 51a	1800	258 30
Ballou, Charles E. Estate		
Morse place 36a	300	12 30
Baptist Society of Fitzwilliam		
Parsonage (rented) ¼a	1600	65 60
Barnes, L. D. & Son		
Store building of Parker	3500	
Stock in trade	4500	328 00
Barnes, L. D. Jr.		
Homeplace of Seymour ¾a	3000	123 00
Barrus, Henry N.		
Homeplace ½a	1100	
Cross land 2 a	200	53 30
Bassett, Chester F. & Clarinda		
House near Patrias' 600 (Exempt $1,000)		
Barnes, Willis & Esther		
Howe lot of Luopa	25	1 02
Bassett, Victor T.		
Camp on Rindge road 1a	100	4 10
Bateman, Mary M.		
Turner farm and buildings 80a	1100	
Miles meadow 20a	150	51 25
Beal, John F.		
Fairbanks land 13a	250	10 25
Bean, Bertha B.		
Wilson lot 92a	400	16 40
Bemis, Henry W.		
Homeplace 20a	2100	
2 horses	100	
5 cows	500	
150 fowls	100	
Wood lot and mowing 14a	400	
Wilson & Whitcomb lot 75a	600	
Shop and lot ½a	400	
May pasture 70a	200	180 40
Bemis, Charles G.		
Bemis farm 80a	1400	57 40
Bent, Julia R. Estate		
Homeplace 115a	1700	69 70
Bent, George B.		
Colton cottage at Lake	2200	90 20
Billings, Dwight B.		
Homeplace of Bowditch 27a	6000	246 00
Blair, Julia W. & Stephen		
Blair homestead ½a	2800	114 80
Blair, Clara L.		
Homeplace of Dickinson	2800	114 80
Blake, Leroy S.		
Homeplace	2500	
Stone house	800	
2 story house	1500	
Fox pasture 70a	150	
Pomp Hill lot 14a	20	
Davis lot 13a	10	
Lot on Winchendon road 10a	10	
Lover's Lane lot ½a	25	205 62
Blaymire, Alexander & Amanda		
House and land at Putnam crossing 20a	1300	
Platt lot 15a	50	55 35
Blodgett, Grace G.		
Homeplace	1500	61 50
Blodgett, Alice M.		
Homeplace ½a	1800	73 80
Blodgett, Willard M.		
Garage and land of Couch 2a	2600	

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Stock in trade	200	114 80
Blodgett, Marjorie T.		
Smith house of Boyce ½a	1800	73 80
Blodgett, Frank J.		
No 10 school house of Holman (unfinished)	1000	41 00
Bolles, Harry H.		
Part of Whipple lot 16a	50	2 05
Bonnette, Josephine		
Sprout land 11a	40	
Dunton land 19a	50	3 69
Boston & Maine Railroad		
S. S. & A.		
Stone lot	100	
Perry lot 4a	700	32 80
Bosworth, Wilfred T. & Jessie W.		
Homeplace 15a	1700	
Shop and machinery	300	
Lynch house of Dyer	1000	123 00
Bosworth, Isabelle & Amy		
Newcomb house	2400	98 40
Boyce, Fred R.		
Homeplace ½a	2500	
1 sheep	10	
Post Office building	1000	
Cottage No. 1 at Lake	1400	
Cottage No. 2 at Lake	1500	
Hartwell land 35a	150	
Fay Hill lot 150a	500	293 56
Boyce, Carleton E.		
Homeplace 100a 1475	475	
Perry meadow 25a (Exempt $1,000)	25	28 70
Bragg, Kendall E. Estate		
Gale land on S. W. shore of Lake	200	8 20
Brandt, Enoch Sr.		
Home place of Martha Koski	800	
Angier lot 50a	50	34 85
Brandt, Ralph A.		
Howe lot of Shea 40a	100	
Lindall lot of Webster Flagg 70a	200	12 30
Brewer, Clifton H.		
2 cottages and land 1a	3300	135 30
Broderick, Newton T.		
Stone farm and house 25a	1300	53 30
Brown, Lester A.		
Whittemore land of Brooks 4a	300	12 30
Brown, Elsie M.		
Cottage at Lake	2100	86 10
Brown, Gertrude M.		
Homeplace of Luopa 2½a	1000	41 00
Bugbee, Clara L.		
Homeplace of Gilson 4a	2000	
Holman pasture	100	
Felch lot 5a	60	88 56
Bullock & Crocker		
House and land at Scott pond 100a	2200	90 20
Bullock, Benjamin L.		
Arnold cottage of Slocum 2a	1600	65 60
Burbank, Alice G. A.		
Clapp lot 40a	200	8 20
Burbank, Avis Estate		
Cottage and land at lake 1½a	800	32 80
Burckard, George		
Homeplace 1½a	1800	73 80
Burdett, Maud W.		
House and land Keene road ¼a	2700	110 70
Burleigh, William & Barbara		
Homeplace of Morrison 2a	4000	164 00
Butler, Oliver B. & Lillian A.		
Cottage and land at Lake of Webb	1600	
Land east of road	100	69 70
Butts, Elizabeth		
Colby house	2800	114 80
Byam, Deborah		
Cottage of A. T. Byam	1400	57 40
Byam, Arthur T.		
Homeplace 167a	2200	
Gordon place 50a	1800	164 00

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Byam, A. Waldo		
Camp and land	200	
1 cow	50	10 25
Butler, Edmund J. & Henry F. Noyes		
Land and lake front of Baldwin 5a	600	24 60
Cabot, Chilton & Marion S.		
Fullum place and house 16a	2800	114 80
Cain, Orville, & Sidney Nims		
Champney lot 75a	500	20 50
Callahan, James J. & Alice E.		
Estabrook place 2½a	2100	86 10
Cameron, Anna A.		
Mills place 1a	1800	73 80
Campbell, Lizzie		
Homeplace 3a	1000	41 00
Cantlin, Paul W. & Bernice I.		
Cahill and Cobleigh lot of Koski 126a	300	12 30
Carlson, Victor		
Homeplace 150a	1500	65 60
Carlson, John E.		
4 cows	400	16 40
Carlson, Otto A. & Ella J.		
Forstrom place of Armas Pelto 1½a	800	32 80
Case, Harriet B.		
Homeplace east Royalston road 3a	7800	319 80
Chadwick, Gilbert L. & N. Vivian		
Cottage and lot No. 9 at Lake of Martin	3000	123 00
Chandler, Elnora C.		
Bowen house	2700	110 70
Chaplin, Winfield M.		
Stone meadow 8a	100	
Fairbanks lot 18a	50	
Byam and Wheelock lot 6a	50	
Shirley lot 39½a	50	
Deeth lot 15a	120	
Chaplin lot 26a	200	
Brewer lot 130a	50	
Chaplin lot	120	
Johnson & Perry lot 40a	195	
Deeth place and gravel bank of Brown Package Company	100	42 44
Chaplin, D. Reed		
Reed lot	120	
Carter lot 24a	100	9 02
Chase, Millard W.		
Gowan lot and building 50a	300	12 30
Chase, John H. Sr.		
Homeplace 100a	1100	
Wilder meadow	10	
1 horse	50	
1 cow	100	51 66
Chase, John H. Jr.		
1 cow	50	2 05
Chase, Frances F.		
Homeplace	2500	102 50
Cheyne, Hugh J.		
Lindall place	2000	
Plain land	250	92 25
Clark, Maurice E		
C. A. Stone lot 10a	50	2 05
Clark, Lottie M.		
Part of Clark farm 20a	100	4.10
Cleveland, Arthur B. Jr. & Alice S.		
Fisher farm of Frank Angier	400	
Part of Whipple place of Grant 85a	1300	69.70
Cobleigh, Wayne		
Homer cottage at Lake	2000	82 00
Coffin, Sturgis & Elsie W.		
Homeplace 100a	8500	348 50
Colonial Beacon Oil Company		
2 Calco pumps at Blodgetts'	320	13.12
Connecticut River Power Company		
Chaplin lot 12a	500	
Tourniquest land 16a	1000	
2 lots of A. L.		

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Brown 13a	100	
170 poles and 32 towers and transmission line	85800	3583 40
Conneley, Martin J.		
Merrill place	800	
Angier pasture 18a	100	36 90
Conway, Alice M.		
Cottage and lot at Lake	1600	65.60
Cooper, William S.		
Homeplace 1900 (Exempt $1,000)	900	36 90
Corey, Harold D. Estate		
Homeplace 17a	3600	147 60
Corson, Alvin A. & Hilma		
Blodgett lot of Grace Blodgett	50	
Blodgett lot of Town from Sprague	50	
Blodgett land	50	6 15
Couch, Minnie B.		
Homeplace 1400	400	
John Barrus lot 37a	300	
Wright lot 20a	200	
Davis barn ½a	100	
Miles lot 50a	100	
Part of garage lot 2a (Exempt $1,000)	200	53 30
Cox, Jane & Janet E. Bullock		
Charles Burbank place 100a	14000	574 00
Crabtree, Charles L. & Anna S.		
Cottage at Lake	1400	57 40
Cram, Catherine D. & Dorothy D. Fordyce		
House and part Putney farm 26a	2200	90 20
Crittsinger, Aleen E.		
Cottage No. 1 at Lake	2700	
Cottage No. 2 at Lake	1300	164 00
Cowley, Paul W.		
Land near Sip Pond	100	4 10
Curtis, Harriet		
Firmin place 35a	2800	114 80
Cushing, Nora A.		
Cottage on Lake road	700	28.70
Cushing, Jeremiah M. Estate		
Homeplace 150a	2000	82 00
Cumings, Fred T.		
Lumber and logs at Carl Howes'	1000	41 00
Daley, Margaret Estate		
Daley land 50a	150	6 15
Damon, Clarence M.		
Robbins meadow 3a	50	
Wilder lot 1a	25	3 07
Damon, Fred L.		
Smith meadow	10	.41
Damon & Stone		
Lot at Lake	225	9 22
Damon, Clayton H.		
Edwards place of Coderre 65a	150	
12 cows	1200	55 35
Damon, Jonas Estate		
Homeplace 33a	4000	
4 horses	600	
Meadow and plain land 12a	100	
Pierce lot 50a	50	
Phillips lot 40a	600	
Chase and Petts lot and house 52a	1000	
Pusher pasture 47a	100	
Ellis lot 40a	75	
Rugg house and lot 6a	1000	
Haskell lot 14a	50	
Ellis lot	50	
Mount Hunger and Streeter lot 95a	100	
Damon & Shirley 30a	60	
Groton lot 30a	60	
Streeter lots 9, 10, and 11, 39a	60	
Lot west of school house	50	
Woodward lot 2a	50	
Warner road lot	25	
Taylor meadow	20	
W. A. & F. E. Streeter house and land	1900	

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Mills and machinery	1000	
Stock in trade	700	
Damon lot of Phillips	25	
John Chase Jr. house	500	
Charles White camp	100	503 27
Davis, Marguerite E. Homeplace	3500	143 50
Davis, William H. Homeplace and Drury pasture	3500	
Fowler lot 30a	50	
Holman house of Haskell ½a	1600	
House at Depot	1400	
Town farm 95a	400	
Grant and Bowen lot 112a	225	294 18
Davis, Charles Estate Homeplace ½a	1500	61 50
Davis, Ralph Emerson farm 125a	250	10 25
Davis, Sinnia Land pasture of J. Mattson 12a	50	2 05
Decatur, Verne M. & Julia W. Cudworth place of Critchton	1800	
Bigelow & Whittemore lots 60a	200	82 00
DelDotto, Walter & Ruth Part of Whitcomb place 27a	1100	45 10
Delory, Margaret Camp on Richmond road 1000 (Exempt $1,000)		
Demidoff, Nicholas A. & Lorna B. Homeplace 13a	4400	
Store building and house of Barnes	3400	319 80
Derby, J. Earl Cottage at Lake	1200	49 20
Derby, Joseph M. Estate Homeplace 1a	2000	
Prouty land	50	84 05
Derosier, Estelle M. House and land Winchendon road 5a	1100	45 10
Dodge, George E. Homeplace 2½a	1100	45 10
Dodge, Fred F. Derby land 30a	500	
Part of Whipple lot of Bolles	150	
1 horse	50	
11 cows	1100	73 80
Dolbeare, Pauline G. Robbins cottage at Lake	2700	110 70
Dolhenty, Leslie E. & Mildred C. E. C. Newton cottage at Lake	1900	77 90
Dresser, Rachel M. & Wilfred C. Cottage and lot No. 11 at Lake	1400	57 40
Drinker, Philip MacKenzie house and part of farm	4200	172 20
Dunham, Victor R. & Gladys B. Valz place of Williams ¼a	1200	49 20
Dunn, Harry W. Bryant place 3a	1600	65 60
Dunton, Arthur W. Homeplace 12a	1100	45 10
Dunton, Irene 1 horse	100	
1 cow	75	7.18
Dunton, George F. Homeplace and mowing 4a	600	
1 cow	70	27 47
Dunton, George A. Estate Dunton land 7a	200	
Gowan lot 4a	25	
Whitney meadow 3a	25	
Taft land 2a	25	11 27
Duplease, James Homeplace	1100	
Elga F. Judd house and land	300	
Land on Lake road	25	58 43
Eckberg, John E. & Mary J. Land and unfinished house at Whipple's	600	24 60

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Edmands, Bradford C. & Alice T.		
Lacount place 55a	1600	65 60
Eldred, Grace Estate		
Philips place 47a	300	12 30
Eldredge, Gertrude E.		
Smith lot of		
B. MacKenzie 16a	150	6 15
Ellis, Charles A.		
Homeplace 150a	1600	65 60
Emerson, George S.		
Homeplace	4000	164 00
Emerson, Walter E.		
2 cows	180	7 38
Erickson, Eric		
Webb quarry	1200	49 20
Exel, Stephen A.		
& Ruth H.		
Cross place of		
Hicks	2400	98 40
Fales, Clifford E.		
& Ethel E.		
Cottage and lot		
No. 4 at Lake	1800	73 80
Farinoli, Mary M.		
Homeplace 1a	1100	45 10
Farnum, Wiliam C.		
Sprout land 18a	70	2 87
Farrington, George		
H. E. &		
Marion S.		
Homeplace of		
Patrai 36a	1400	57 40
Faucher, Arthur		
& Stella		
Bent lot of		
Bessie Parker 50a	100	4 10
Favreau, Ethel E.		
Land at		
Blodgett's	100	4 10
Favreau, Bertha		
Homeplace 1000		
(Exempt $1,000)		
Feinberg, David		
Dodds quarry 43a	1200	49 20
Felton, LeonE.		
House at Lake 2½a	2000	
W. Towne land	300	
Meeting house lot	200	102 50
Ferguson, Doris W.		
Land on Lover's		
Lane of Blake 4a	100	4 10
Fealey, Leslie J.		
& Cecelia E.		
Homeplace of		
Sayers 15a	1700	69 70
Finnish		
Workingmen's		
Association		
Hall at Depot	400	16 40
Firmin, Letitia W.		
Homeplace	2300	
1 horse	50	
1 cow	100	
100 fowls	50	102 50
Fisher, Robert R.		
Fisher homeplace		
12a 2300	1300	
2 cows	200	61 50
(Exempt $1,000)		
Fisher, Cedric E.		
Orchard lot	50	
Gage land of		
M. & G. Fisher	100	
Gage land of		
Leon Shea	20	6 97
Fiske, Francis		
& Jane L.		
Lehto place 85a	2500	102 50
Fitzwilliam Inn Inc.		
Hotel and farm 82a	12000	492 00
Fitzwilliam White		
Granite Co.		
Elson quarry 3a	100	4 10
Flagg, Henry M.		
Homeplace 20a	1200	
Wood lot 15a	50	
Drury meadow 3a	10	
Pasture lot 16a	50	53 71
Fletcher, Elizabeth		
Homeplace 50a	2000	82 00
Fleur de Lys Camp		
Land and		
buildings 23a	10000	
4 cottages	3600	
Dining hall and		
kitchen	2000	
Lot at Lake and		
Whittemore lot	1150	686 75
Foster, Arlen E.		
Homeplace 450		
1 horse 50		
(Exempt $1,000)		
Francis, Henry W.		
& Delia M.		
Homeplace 2a	3200	131 20
Frye, William B.		
Fiske and Howe		
lots 65a	250	
Heywood lot 22a	200	
Miles pasture 40a	300	30 75
Gallagher,		

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Rollin M. Jr. & Anne G. Putnam		
Baldwin farm house and lake front	2800	114 80
Gallagher, Mrs. Rollin M.		
South Pond Cabins	6000	246 00
Gallup, Grace		
Cottage at Lake	2100	86 10
Gannet, Frank & Bessie P.		
House and gas station 2000	1000	
1 cow	100	45 10
(Exempt $1,000)		
Garland, Edward P.		
Nancy Cox place of Nichols 43a	1900	77 90
Gates, Don H. & Edith C.		
Cottage at Lake of Webb	1100	45 10
Gay, Harold J. Estate		
Smith place	500	20 50
Gerry, Maye B.		
Homeplace 1a	1400	
Bailey lot	25	
Drury meadow	25	59 45
Gilbo, Ruth M.		
Gahling cottage at Lake	1600	65 60
Godbeer, George H.		
Cottage and land at Lake 2a	1700	
No. 3 school house lot 4a	400	
Davis mowing 2a	200	94 30
Goddard, Charles H. & Ethel M.		
Richardson farm of Plywood Corp. 200a	4000	164 00
Goodale, Elsie M.		
Merriam lot 50a	500	20 50
Gordon, Jasper		
Homeplace	1100	
Emerson quarry of Town 43a	200	53 30
Gowing, Charles G.		
Daley place 20a	1800	73 80
Goodnow, Ethel A. & Roger C.		
Holman place of Sherman Co. 3200	2200	90 20
(Exempt $1,000)		
Gonyou, Clayton S.		
Wayside cottage of B. Patrai 4a	600	24 60
Grant, Warren N.		
Homeplace	1700	
Grant mowing and pasture 14a	60	72 16
Grant, Edward E.		
Farnum lot 12 a	25	
Mill and machinery	500	
Dust bin on Daley land	100	
Stock in trade	400	42 02
Grant, Hattie H. B.		
Blodgett stone shed lot	25	1 03
Greeley, Dana M. & Deborah W.		
Land and buildings at Lake of Baldwin	2500	102 50
Green, Janette		
Part of Green farm	200	8 20
Greenough, Theodore & Jessie L.		
Joseph house of Duplease	1000	41 00
Grier, John J. Jr.		
Homeplace 6a 1100	100	
Bates lot 15a	75	
Collins lot 30a	150	13 32
(Exempt $1,000)		
Grimes, Lena E.		
Coolidge and Cummings lot 26a	200	8 20
Gulf Oil Corp.		
Pumps and tanks at Gannets and Reimans	530	21 73
Haapaala, Aili M.		
Homeplace 1½a	1300	53 30
Hall, Stanley S. & Lucy S.		
Land west of lake of Baldwin 10a	1200	49 20
Hall, Haven E.		
Homeplace of Martin	1000	41 00
Hannifin, Thomas E.		

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Martin lot 70a	200	8 20
Hallett, Harold R. & Hazel E.		
Buteau, place 35a	2000	82 00
Hanninen, John		
Homeplace 34a	1500	
1 horse	100	
1 cow	100	69 70
Hapgood, Charles W.		
Mullaney place 75a	8500	348 50
Harley, Olive S.		
Pollary place	1400	57 40
Harris, Doris M.		
Cottage and land at Lake	1500	
Reed lot	200	69 70
Haskell, Herbert L.		
Homeplace of Shea 110a	1800	73 80
& Mary E.		
Camp and land at Lake 28a	1200	49 20
Hayden, Mrs. A. E. Estate		
Homeplace	1600	65 60
Hayden, Fred D.		
Homeplace 75a	700	
White lot and camp of Prevost 40a	500	49 20
Hill, Aarno I. & Hilda R.		
Homeplace of Hanna Mattson 1700	700	28 70
(Exempt $1,000)		
Hayden, Nathan B. Estate		
Homeplace 100a	1500	61 50
Hayes, Lucille D.		
Paul house and land of Ricker	3300	135 30
Heinonen, Vaina & Weikko Jalava		
Part Fisher land of Mitchell 15a	75	3 08
Hendrickson, Anna		
Homeplace	900	36 90
Hesimacki, John		
Homeplace 1½a	1400	57 40
Heywood, Alice S.		
Cottage and land at Lake 2½	1600	65 60
Hill, Walter &		

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Eleanor M.		
Roundy place of Delory 1400	400	16 40
(Exempt $1,000)		
Hill, Isaac Estate		
Homeplace 65a	700	
Grover land	15	
Maxim land	200	37 51
Hill, Sephon Heirs		
Homeplace 1a	1000	41 00
Hill, Oiva		
Homeplace	1300	53 30
Hill, Reino W.		
& Myrtle		
House and land of Shea 9a	800	32 80
Hind, Charlotte		
Homeplace ½a	1300	53 30
Hind, Edward W.		
Homeplace	1800	73 80
Hohendorf, Jennie L. & Helmuth		
Homeplace of Syms 3½a	2000	82 00
Holbrook,		
Barbara Root		
Land of MacKenzie	300	12 30
Holbrook, Trust First		
House, cottage and land 9a	7800	
Land of Finnish church 3½a	100	
Land of Hongisto 24a	200	332 10
Holbrook,		
Trust Second		
House and land 9a	7000	287 00
Holman, Harry E.		
Homeplace ½a	1800	
4 cows	400	90 20
Holman, Howard C.		
Holman store building	1500	
2 horses	200	
25 cows	2500	
600 fowls	550	
Camp and lot	300	
None Such hall	500	
O. Hill land and buildings of Russell	200	243 95
Holman, H. C. & Gladys M.		
Bolles farm 152a	2800	114 80

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Holman, Mrs. William E.		
Homeplace 170a	3000	
Miles pasture 12a	50	
Allen pasture 30a	100	
Camp	100	
Hayden meadow 7a	25	134 27
Holman, Walter E.		
Homeplace	1300	
Meadow of D. J. Ayers 5a	50	55 35
Holman, William E. & Son		
Barn at Depot	400	
Byam lot 55a	215	
Daley lot 22a	200	
Harkness lot 50a	100	37 52
Holman, Clifford C. & Jessie Hale		
Newman lot 21a	250	10 25
Holman, Clifford C. & Annie M.		
Homeplace ½a	1700	69 70
Holman, Florence M.		
Bigelow & Streeter lot 50a	100	4 10
Holmes, Samuel Estate		
House and land at Lake 3a	2500	
Town orchard	100	
Whipple pasture	200	
Part of H. A. Burbank lot	250	125 05
Hongisto, Eino E.		
Edna Howe place 1a	1500	
Island in Bowkerville pond	25	62 50
Hongisto, Edward A. & Amelia		
Homeplace 89a	1500	61 50
Hongisto, Walter & Modena		
House and land of E. & A. Hongisto 800 (Exempt $1,000)		
Howarth, Florence M.		
Streeter lot No. 5 of Beals 12a	150	
Streeter lot No. 8 of Beals 9a	150	
Drury farm 38a	500	32 80
Howe, Jerome W.		
Cottage and lot No. 5 at Lake	2400	98 40
Howe, Carl E.		
Homeplace 3a	1400	
Farrar lot 44a	200	
Coolidge lot 6 a	150	
Mills and machinery	300	84 05
Huston, Lena D.		
Homeplace	2600	106 60
Ingraham, Louis W.		
Baker lot 15a	100	4 10
Ingraham, William Estate		
Sprout land 20a	100	4 10
Jacobson, Samuel Estate		
Homeplace	1100	45 10
Jamsa, Lydia		
Homeplace	1100	45 10
Jarvi, David Estate		
Homeplace 60a	1800	
Brouillard camp	400	
1 horse	75	
1 cow	100	97 38
Jefferson, Frederick C.		
House and land near Lake 8a	2800	114 80
Jeffries, Donald B. & Clarice L.		
Homeplace of Armas Pelto 47a	1800	
Brandt camp of Armas Pelto 3a	50	75 85
Jewett, Jennie E.		
Reed cottage and land at Lake	1400	57 40
Jones, Perley A.		
Whitney pasture	400	16 40
Joslin, Gertrude		
Cottages at Lake of Racine (2)	2000	82 00
Kafelt Manufacturing Company		
Steel at H. H. Shermans'	360	14 76
Kapff, Helene F.		
Homeplace	2800	114 80
Kelley, Harold L. & Dorothy A.		

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Homeplace of Jones	2800	114 80
Kendall, Frank H.		
Homeplace 10a 1400	400	
Fiske land	50	18 45
(Exempt $1,000)		
Kendall, Mildred		
Wood lot 30a	75	3 07
Kendall, H. Clayton		
Cottage at lot		
No. 6 at Lake	3300	135 30
Kimball, Marguerite		
House and land 6a	4000	164 00
Kimball, Marion A.		
Cottage and		
land at		
Lake 1a	1700	
Barn	200	
Vacant lot		
on Lake	400	94 30
King, Emily B.		
Reynolds		
bungalow 3½a	2600	106 60
Kissock, William H.		
& Myra L.		
W. E. Blodgett		
place 3½a	1900	77 90
Klemperer,		
Dorothea E.		
Jess Foster		
place 25a	1000	41 00
Kohler, Theodore		
& Evelyn		
Homeplace of		
Angeline Russell		
Estate ½a	1200	49 20
Koning, John H.		
Bassett camp		
and land of		
Cenate 6a	500	
Young lot of		
Gertrude		
Eldred 6a	100	24 60
Korpi, Emma		
Homeplace ½a	900	36 90
Korjeff, Alice L. B.		
Daniel Burbank		
Place 30a	1500	
Part of H. A.		
Burbank lot		
at Lake	250	71 75
Kouvinen, William		
Estate		
Homeplace	900	
Meadow land	15	
Wood land	35	38 95
Kovanen, Watti		

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Champney place	1100	45 10
Kultti, William		
& Mary		
Cottage and		
Phillips lot		
of Greenough 25a	800	32 80
Kerns Company		
of New		
Hampshire		
Factory building	12000	
Machinery	500	
Stock in trade	2200	
Land of Mary		
Lassila 3a	200	601 90
Lake, William		
Homeplace 3a 900		
(Exempt $1,000)		
Lammela, John Sr.		
Homeplace	2200	
Lunderville lot 13a	50	92 25
Lammela, John Jr.		
Brigham Hill		
lot of		
Rockwood 25a	50	2 05
Lammela, Richard		
Fowler lot of		
William		
Luopa 60a	200	8 20
Land, William		
& Rose V.		
Homeplace	1000	41 00
Lane, C. L. & Co.		
Fisher pasture 50a	550	
Gage land 108a	350	36 90
Languille, Waldo V.		
& Eva M.		
Cottage and land		
on Daly farm		
of Carey 1/3a	1200	49 20
Larson, Edwin		
Cottage and lot		
No. 18 at Lake	1000	41 00
Lawrence,		
Van Courtland		
Estate		
Stone land 5a	300	12 30
Lawrence, Eugene		
& Loretta		
Stone place		
of Winters 3/4a	1000	
Stone land and		
unfinished		
house 2a	600	65 60
LeGeyt, Eva		
Cottage and land		
at Lake of		

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Haskell	800	32 80
Lilback, Lempi		
Homeplace	1500	
2 horses	200	
2 cows	200	
Bigelow lot	150	
Part Cummings lot of Whitcomb 60a	150	
Angier lot of Hannah Mattson 22a	100	94 30
Lindall, Madeline Shirley and Ellis lot 108a	300	12 30
Luopa, J. William		
Homeplace 10a	2100	
Part quarry land	100	
Hannon lot 50a	200	98 40
Luopa, Smertsi J.		
House, Putney lot and gravel lot	1700	69 70
Lovell, Walter F.		
Cottage at Lake of Mrs. E. Rice	1600	65 60
Lovell, Archie S.		
Cottage at Lake and vacant lot	1600	65 60
Lovering, Forrest C.		
Miles lot 10a	100	4 10
Lowe, Arthur		
Converse land 4a	50	2 05
Lynch, William E.		
Homeplace	3000	
3 cows	300	
125 fowls	75	
Nutting lot 20a	50	
Bailey lot 12a	100	
Beebe meadow	125	
Perham farm 110a	300	
Wilkins & Gordon lot	100	166 05
MacKenzie, Clifford R.		
Part of MacKenzie place 38a	300	
Nutting lot 10a	100	
Perry lot 40a	500	36 90
MacKenzie, Beatrice W.		
Homeplace 1a	2500	102 50
Magnani, Rosa		
Homeplace ½a	1600	65 60
Macki, August		
Homeplace 10a	1300	
Clark lot 34a	170	60 27
Maki, Walter J. & Lilla I.		
Gage land of Shea 3a	150	6 15
Martin, Edgar U.		
Whipple farm 100a	300	12 30
Mallett, Phillip		
Putney lot of Austin 20a	150	6 15
Martin, Levi F. & Gertrude A.		
Gee meadow 30 (Exempt $1,000)		
Mattson, John		
Homeplace ½a	1100	45 10
Mattson, Oscar		
Homeplace	1000	
Bigelow lot of Angier	65	43 67
Mattson, Niilo		
Land and shiner tank of Dodge	100	4 10
Mauldin, Whiteford C.		
Land of Barnes	100	4 10
May, Raymond E.		
Part of Whitney farm of Bailey and Town 45a	400	16 40
McCarthy, John B & Hilma M.		
Camp and land of Armas Pelto 3a	475	
Blodgett land of Armas Pelto 1½a	25	20 50
McKenney, Mrs. W. A.		
Cottage and garage at Lake	1900	77 90
McGrath, Rilla		
Sherrick place 55a	600	24 60
McKinstry, Helen P.		
Evans quarry and buildings 125a	1500	61 50
McQuestion, Ida R.		
Homeplace 21a	1700	
Part of Hoose place 75a	200	77 90
Meattey, Edward		
Homeplace	600	
Drury pasture	100	
1 cow	60	31 16

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Meattey, Tynne S.		
Homeplace	900	36 90
Meattey, Leonard W		
Richmond road house of R. W. Stone ½a 1000 (Exempt $1,000)		
Methe, Napoleon & Elvira		
Grady house of Peter Grady	1400	57 40
Michelson, Lamoa		
Homeplace ½a	1000	41 00
Miller, Pauline H.		
Carter house and land ½a	2300	94 30
Mikkela, Waino M.		
Part of Cheshire railroad lot of West 1½a	25	1 02
Moffett, Marion A.		
Homeplace 38a	8000	
Gleason land 38a	150	334 15
Molan, George J.		
Cottage at Lake of Anna Sulivan	1400	57 40
Montague, Belle B.		
House and land ½a	2800	
Stone lot 2a	100	
Wright lot 3½a	400	
Wright lot 1a	100	139 40
Montgomery, Estrella L.		
Land, building, and cabins 2½a	1600	65 60
Morlock, William H. & Nettie M.		
Cottage and lot No. 10 at Lake of Doris Bryant	2500	102 50
Morrison, Dorothy E.		
Brigham hill lot 1a	100	4 10
Morrison, Annie		
Quarry land 67a	200	
Outhank land 16a	125	13 33
Murray, Florence		
Streeter place	2000	
Shirley place	1500	143 50
Murray, Everett L.		
Log Cabin	200	8 20
Murray, Aurrie L. Estate		
Homeplace 70a	1500	61 50
Musser, Bess Krag & Margene		
Bigelow place of Dickinson 22a	7400	303 40
Murdock, E. & Company		
Part of Fairbanks farm 90a	300	
Haskell lot 3a	10	
F. A. Streeter lot 61a	150	
Derby lot No. 1, 48a	500	
Derby lot No. 2, 55a	200	
Barker pasture 200a	600	
Blanchard lot 96a	190	
Part of Gee farm 80a	100	
Land at Depot 2a	100	
Rugg lot 36a	80	
Chaplin lot 24a	60	
Merril lot 14a	50	
Beebe lot 30a	60	
Carroll lot 125a	250	
Felch lot 100a	200	
Bosworth pasture	50	
Brooks lot 140a	280	
Perry lot 50a	100	
Shirley lot 20a	50	
Angier lot 42a	100	
Paul lot 40a	80	
Part of Dunton farm 40a	150	
Derby lot No. 3, 20a	100	154 16
Nattila, John U.		
Land and unfinished house of W. Tommila 1½a 700 (Exempt $1,000)		
Neal, Elaine & Andrew C.		
Bungalow and land	2800	114 80
New England Box Company Inc.		
Standing timber on Southard place.	500	20 50
New Hampshire Gas & Electric Company		
Land, buildings, transmission lines and reservoir	45920	1882 72
Newton, Ralph L.		
Cottage and Garage at		

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Lake	1500	61 50
Newton, Robert S.		
House and land 2½a	3200	131 20
Nichols, Walter		
Wood lot 1½a	100	4 10
Nisbit, Frederick S.		
House at Lake 1a	1800	73 80
Nolan, Rose C.		
Barrett place 3a	1500	61 50
Norcross, Donald		
Delia Whitcomb farm 40a	200	8 20
Nugent, J. B. Estate		
Osborne pasture 20a	250	10 25
Nutting, Etta M.		
Homeplace	2000	82 00
Norton, Louise M.		
Esdaile house of Parker	3000	123 00
Palo, Lydia & Ellen Brandt		
Homeplace ½a	1600	65 60
Parker, Francis R.		
Homeplace	4400	
Part of Marshall farm	100	
Richardson meadow	100	188 60
Patrai, Harland		
House and land of A. J. Richards	600	
1 horse	50	26 65
Patrai, Aili		
Part of quarry land of Luopa	25	1 02
Patterson, Frank B. Sr.		
Land on Royalston road	20	82
Patterson, Frank B. Jr.		
Homeplace 44a	1300	
Pleasant valley meadow	50	55 35
Patterson, Francis B.		
Homeplace	1100	45 10
Patterson, Carl R.		
Homeplace 3a 1000 (Exempt $1,000)		
Paul, Ida L. B. Estate		
Reed farm and house	4100	168 10
Paul, Philip Estate		
Land at Lake	900	36 90
Paul, Richard F.		
Johnson land 5a	20	82
Paul, Lucille B.		
Land on Jaffrey road	150	6 15
Pelkey, Edward F.		
Homeplace of J. G. Baldwin 1½a	1600	65 60
Pelto, Alte		
Decatur house of Pelto (Isaac) 1300	300	
Lovering lot 10a (Exempt $1,000)	50	14 35
Pelto, Isaac		
Homeplace of Favreau 1½a	1200	49 20
Perry, Charles W. & John O. Talbot		
Part of Brigham Hill lot of Rockwood 200a	400	16 40
Perry, Walter G.		
Garage and cottage at Lake	6500	
Armstrong land ½a	100	
Fullam land 8a	100	
Land on east side of Lake with lot near Jewett and Webb	1000	315 70
Perry, William F.		
Cottage and boat house at Lake 4a	3300	
Prentice lot 75a	600	
Clark lot 40a	200	
Lot on Rindge road 5a	50	
Angier lot 30a	50	
Firmin farm 115a	200	
Carroll lot 60a	150	
Perry lot 30a	50	188 60
Pierce, Edson I.		
House and land 4a	500	20 50
Pierce, Charles F.		
Homeplace	2600	
Jenkins cottage	1100	
Camp brook lot	10	
Blodgett land of Brennan	40	153 75

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Plante, Emile J. & Lucy B.		
Homeplace	1800	
Garage	1000	
Stock in trade	300	127 10
Plante, Emil J. Jr.		
Fairbanks farm 200a 2800	1800	73 80
(Exempt $1,000)		
Plante, Emile J. Guardian		
Fairbanks lot	75	3 08
Plante, Arthur J.		
Homeplace	1800	
Stock in trade	400	90 20
Pollary, Laimo		
Homeplace	1100	
1 cow	100	
Fowls 300	250	59 45
Pollary, Ida G.		
Blodgett and White lot 20a	100	4 10
Pope, Chester C.		
Cottage and land at Lake 3a	2400	98 40
Potter, Norman B.		
Cottage and land at Lake	1700	69 70
Popple, Raymond E.		
1 horse 75		
1 cow 100		
(Exempt $1,000)		
Prario, William J.		
Coal shed and land of Anderson	1500	
Stock in trade	300	73 80
Puskala, Emil		
Homeplace 39a	1100	45 10
Putnam, Fred M.		
Outhank land 8a	150	
Gee meadow	50	8 20
Putnam, Lizzie M. Estate		
Part of Bemis farm 4a	100	
Parmenter Pasture 80a	300	16 40
Putney, Roger A.		
Upham land 247a	1400	57 40
Rantilla, John G. Estate		
Rantilla farm and house 80a	1200	49 20
Rathburn, John		
Cudworth lot 6 3/4a	30	1 23
Rawding, Elva M.		
House and part of Hayden farm 20a	1300	53 30
Reed Sumner Estate		
Bartlett land 2a	10	41
Reid, Florence L. & David C.		
Sprague farm	2500	
Camp and land of Jamsao 1¼a	300	114 80
Reese, Virgil		
Handy pasture of M. P. Whitcomb 35a	150	6 15
Reynolds, Elizabeth A. T.		
Homeplace 1½a	4500	184 50
Rice, Isa L.		
Wilson cottage at Lake of Jewett ½a	1600	65 60
Richfield Oil Corp. of New York		
2 Calco, pumps at Barnes'	300	12 30
Richards, Ernest G. & Virginia C.		
Homeplace of E. Brandt 8a	1300	
1 cow	100	
Blodgett meadow 5a	50	59 45
Ricker, Williamina L.		
Homeplace of Barnes 50a	6000	246 00
Ricker, Williamina L. Trustee		
Cahill land of Cheney 2½a	100	4 10
Rogers, Albert J.		
Duplease place on Royalston road 30a	200	8 20
Rosenblad, Susanne		
Homeplace 1a	1000	
House lot ½a	50	
Derby lot 1a	50	
Follansbee pasture of Lynch	200	53 30
Rotanz, Edith		
Homeplace 600		
(Exempt $1,000)		

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Rugg, Nellie A.		
Homeplace 1a	2000	
Damon meadow	50	84 05
Russell, John B. Jr. & Olive W.		
Reed house and land of Wheelock	4000	
Sprout land of Baldwin 8a	300	176 30
Russell, John B. Jr.		
Welfare building, Perry and Parker land	1700	69 70
Russell, Edward J. & Bessie A.		
Stearns cottage at Lake	2400	
Motor boat (1)	150	104 55
Russell, Trefle J.		
Homeplace and meadow of Flagg	1400	57 40
Saari, John		
Homeplace 8a	1600	
Lynch land 6a	200	
Baasto land 18a	200	
2 cows	200	
260 fowls	210	98 81
Saari, John and Others		
Wood lot 40a	200	8 20
Salo, Anton H. & Amelia		
House and lot of Hendrickson ¼a	900	36 90
Salter, Benson J. & Mary E.		
Cottage land and garage at Holman's 1½a	800	32 80
Sangster, William R.		
Camp and Keith lot of G. F. Miller 20a	500	20 50
Saylor, E. B.		
Ward farm and cottage 70a	1000	41 00
Schaff, Elise & Rodman		
Homeplace 11a	2400	
Hubbard land 2½a	100	102 50
Shea, Leon		
Homeplace	2400	
Whitcomb pasture of Boyce and Martin 40a	200	
Blodgett lot of Streeter 20a	50	
1 horse	100	
2 oxen	300	
2 cows	175	132 22
Shanks, James A. & Mildred E.		
Apwood place and Drury lot of Lona A. Russell 9a	200	
Unfinished house	400	24 60
Schwer, Paul P.		
Land and buildings at Sip Pond of Crowley	2300	94 30
Schwer, Virginia & Janet Comeau		
Land and buildings at Sip Pond of R. S. Stevens 15a	2600	106 60
Shea, John		
House of Troy road at Nisbit 2a	1700	69 70
Sherman, Harrie H.		
Homeplace 1a	2100	86 10
Sherman, Company The		
Machinery in Welfare building	1800	73 80
Sherrick, Frank Estate		
Land and camp of M. P. Whitcomb 5a	25	1 03
Simino, Mildred I.		
Angier cottage No. 1 at Lake	800	32 80
Silander, John K. & Sonja K.		
Newman land of Koski 18a	100	4 10
Simpanen, Antti Estate		
Homeplace	800	32 80
Smith, James H. & Carl Parker		
Cudworth lot and camp on Brigham hill	200	8 20
Smith, Karl B.		
Holman, Townsend,		

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Wheelock, Byam, and Morris lot	200	8 20
Smith, David G.		
Building lot 1a	50	2 05
Signal Engineering and Manufacturing Co.		
Stock in trade	2000	82 00
Smith, Mildred S.		
Starkey home place ¼a	1800	
Wood lot 100a	300	
Barn	350	100 45
Smith, Anna		
Homeplace of Elliot Streeter 1½a	1800	73 80
Smith, Platte D.		
Cottage and lot No. 8 at Lake	1200	49 20
Smith, Stanley S. & Ruth E.		
Becker lot and cottage of Perry	2700	110 70
Smith, Josephine Sessions		
Levela place 50a	3000	123 00
Smytherman, Sarah Estate		
Ellis farm 85a	350	14 35
Socony Vacuum Oil Company		
3 gas pumps and tanks	330	13 50
Spaulding, Roxanna & Alice Turner		
Bigelow house of Town 1a	1200	49 20
Spicer, Fannie B.		
Homeplace 10a	1800	
Fish pond lot 30a	100	
Cottage No. 1 at Lake	1100	
Cottage No. 2 at Lake	1800	
Land at Depot	25	197 82
Sprague, Leroy W.		
Homeplace 1600	600	
Shop	400	
Angier and Bigelow meadow	135	
1 horse	100	
1 cow	100	54 74
(Exempt $1,000)		
Southard, Edward		
Homeplace of Wyman 67a	2400	98 40
Starkey, Harry M.		
Building lot	10	41
Steinka, Henry & Gwendolyn		
Homeplace of B. Holman	2000	
Decatur lot of Town	35	
Brennan barn	75	86 51
Steinka, Fred		
Part of Towns farm 20a	100	4 10
Stenn, Ossian		
Cottage on Webb hill road 1000		
Land of Mary Lilback ¼a	25	1 02
(Exempt $1,000)		
Stephens, Adeline C.		
Timlow cottage of Munn	2000	82 00
Stone, Arthur E.		
Homeplace 36a	2000	
Mill lot 4a	150	
Whittemore block	3400	
Perry lot of Edgar Holman 3a	25	228 58
Stone, Walter M.		
Homeplace 4½a	1800	73 80
Sorette, John L. & Ruth R.		
Homeplace of C. L. Haskell	4200	172 20
Stone, S. S. & Sons		
Homeplace 60a	1000	
2 horses	100	
Stone lot 200a	700	
Potter meadow 40a	100	
Felch land 38a	200	
Forristal lot 50a	200	
Fairbanks lot 30a	150	
Carroll and Collins lot 120a	500	
Miles lot 100a	300	
Scott Mill reservoir	700	
Wilder lot 35a	140	
Fowler lot 40a	200	
S. S. Stone lot 5a	10	
Chase, Davis and Poole lot and house 250a	1800	
Taft lot 16a	50	

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Beebe lot 7a	400	
Dunton lot 12a	25	
Collins lot 12a	50	
Tymke lot 10a	50	
Page road lot 16a	50	
Hodge place 156a	1200	
Chaplin lot 5a	25	
Witherill lot 85a	350	
Potter and Gowin lot 70a	200	
Dunton lot 10a	25	
Part Dunton farm 20a	25	
Mills and machinery	3000	
Stock in trade	900	510 45
Stone, Robert W.		
Tucker lot 60a	200	
Beebe lot 30a	75	
Nutting lot 10a	50	
Reed hill lot 67a	200	
E. L. Stone house	2700	
Lynch lot 70a	200	
Railroad lot 70a	200	
Wheeler lot 50a	100	
Crooker lot 20a	50	
Royalston road lot 30a	300	
Mills and machinery	3000	
Stock in trade	1000	331 07
Stone, Elinor W.		
Homeplace 1a	2200	
McKinley stone shed lot	25	91 23
Stone, W. H.		
Cottage at Lake ¼a	1600	65 60
Streeter, Elliot H.		
Beebe lot 50a	75	
Dunton lot 50a	75	6 15
Streeter, Gordon		
Fenno lot 100a	30	12 30
Streeter, Harold A.		
Streeter lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 12, 13	150	
Wilder lot 38a	200	14 35
Streeter, Fred		
1 cow 100		
(Exempt $1,000),		
Stinemetz		
Hortense B.		
Bliss house of Boyce	2400	98 40
Stewart, Henry A.		
& Ida B.		
Gale lot, cottage and garage	2000	
Land and lake front of Baldwin 2a	500	102 50
Sturtevant,		
Charles H.		
Homeplace 1½a	1300	53 30
Sullivan, Mary E.		
Summer house village	1600	65 60
Swenor, Arthur J. & Violet		
Decatur cottage	800	32 80
Syria, Elias		
Part Hunt lot of Shea and camp 1a	75	3 07
Tanio, Antti		
Camp at Sip Pond	250	
Shed and land of Phillips Estate	75	13 33
Talbot, John O.		
Cottage and Pope land 35a	1700	69 70
Taylor, John		
& Elinor S.		
Summer house 130a	2500	102 50
Teeter, John H.		
Cottage at Lake	3500	143 50
Thompson, Paul D.		
Quarry lot 19a	200	
Fairbanks and Dunton lot 50a	200	16 40
Thompson, Hosmer B.		
Wood lot 13a	30	1 23
Thornton, Edwin C.		
½ Olmstead lot of Phillips 10a	50	2 05
Thornton,		
Marguerite T.		
Bent place 15a	900	36 90
Tommila, Oscar		
Homeplace 35a	1200	
Koskela lot 19a	200	
1 horse	150	
2 cows	200	71 75
Tommila, Helmi		
Homeplace 1½a	1400	
Part of Merrick E. Wheeler lot 6a	15	58 02
Tommila, Vieno		
Homeplace ¾a	2100	86 10

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Tommila, Walter		
Koskela land of O. Tommila 6½a	200	
Kimball lot of Carl Howe 195a	600	32 80
Tommila, Felix & Walter		
Wheeler lot 14a	28	1 15
Tommila, Felix		
Flagg and Whitcomb lot of Angier 14a	100	
Columb lot 15a	100	
Lot west of railroad	10	8 61
Townsend, Inez E.		
Cottage at Lake	1500	61 50
Treat, Roger E. & Carlton E.		
Homeplace 3a	3000	
Forristal farm 150a	500	
Whipple land 2a	300	155 80
Trenque, Hector J.		
Cottage lot No. 25 and land of Berard 30a	1900	
Lot No. 2 at Lake of Brown	400	94 30
Troy Blanket Mills		
Resevoir at Rockwood Pond 1 1/3a	500	20 50
Twigg, Alice M.		
Summer house and land 80a	2500	102 50
United Lumber Company		
Part of Whitney farm 35a	150	6 15
VanLear, David & Susan		
Part of Whipple place and house of Dowse	600	24 60
Wade, Elmer M. & Harriet A.		
Bailey place of Armas Pelto	1400	
Houvinen land of Armas Pelto 2a	100	
1 cow	90	65 19
Wallace, John W. & Russell S.		
Summer place	5450	
East lot 3½a	500	
West lot 1a	50	
Bissell lot 4a	250	
Wilkins lot 7a	250	266 50
Wear, Florence E.		
Homeplace 8a	2200	
Kimball and Whittemore lots 70a	200	98 40
Webb, Louis M.		
Homeplace 3a	3600	
Cottage, land and garage at Lake	1600	
Land east of Lake road	150	
Land between Gates and Perry	50	
2 sheep	20	222 22
Wehner, Frank W.		
Wood lot 25a	125	5 15
Weitti, John		
House and land of Hanna Mattson 4½a	900	36 90
Welch, Garrison		
Land of Barnes	100	4 10
Wellman, Frank C.		
Homeplace 5a	1600	65 60
West, Howard M. & Edith W.		
Homeplace 7a	3600	
Wheeler lot ½a	200	155 80
Ward, Florence		
Cottage at lake of A. F. Lovell	1600	65 60
West, Julia & Elias		
Cheshire railroad lot of Tommila 50a	150	6 15
Western Massachusetts Electric Co.		
Land and water rights	100	4 10
Wheelock, John H. Estate		
Homeplace 40a	6600	
Byam lot 7a	25	
2 cows	200	279 83
Whipple, Ernest W.		
Homeplace	1400	
1 cow	100	61 50
Whipple, William H. S.		
Homeplace 18a	1900	
2 horses	125	
5 cows	300	

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
70 fowls	20	
Gilson 1 and 100a	250	
Merrill 1 and 10a	75	
Coolidge land 2a	10	
Coolidge lot 2a	125	
Whipple lot 12a	50	117 05
Whipple, Henry W.		
Dudley meadow of Bolles 2a	25	
Holman lot of Shea 140a	250	
1 hog	25	
140 fowls	90	15 99
Whitcomb, Marshall P.		
Homeplace 80a	1600	
Part of Whitcomb farm 40a	120	
White and Gage land 35a	80	
2 horses	50	
5 cows	350	
10 sheep	100	94 30
Whitcomb, Alice L. Estate		
Homeplace 65a	600	24 60
White, Stephen		
Homeplace and lake front	4100	
3 cows	275	
6 camps south of house	2950	
Store and camps in woods	1285	
Camps on leased land	4990	
Store building at Depot	500	
Bigelow barn	100	582 20
White, Silas & Ruth W.		
Homeplace of Bertha Streeter	2000	
Smith place 20a	50	84 05
White, Edith		
Homeplace 20a	1900	
Lowell land 5a	25	78 93
Wilber, Erwin S. & Helen M.		
Cottage and land at lake of F. E. Ward	1600	65 60
Wilkins, Fred P.		
Homeplace ½a	2400	
Fullam hill lot 1a	25	
Fullam hill lot	25	
Dunton lot 12a	50	
Pinnacle lot of Bigelow Estate 75a	250	
5 horses	300	125 05
Williams, Harriet W.		
Homeplace	1600	65 60
Windheim, Harriet M.		
Cottage at Lake and lots 16, 17, 19, 5a	2000	82 00
Wolski, Edwin & Demaris		
Homeplace of Houvinen 4a	1900	77 90
Wiswall, Priscilla A.		
Forristal lot of H. M. Flagg 17a	300	12 30
Ward, Anna		
Homeplace	1400	57 40
Woodward, Herman O.		
Starkey lot 10a	200	8 20
Yon, Oscar G. & Emily S.		
Homeplace 2a	2000	
Wilson meadow	100	
Stone cutting tools	100	
Stock in trade	100	94 30
Yon, Norma E.		
Homeplace	900	36 90
Yon, Phillip J.		
Homeplace	1500	
Bryant lot and quarry 14a	200	
Bemis lot 7a	100	
Mill and machinery	100	
Stock in trade	100	82 00
Yon, Richard S.		
Part Hunt lot and camp of Shea 1a	75	3 07
Yon, Richard S. & Elias Syria		
Hunt lot of Shea 106a	200	8 20
Yon, Edward		
1 cow	60	2 46

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN ASSESSED A POLL TAX IN THE TOWN OF FITZWILLIAM N. H., APRIL 1, 1947

Anderson, Susanna
Anderson, Annie
Angier, Ethel F.
Angier, Rollin L.
Autio, J. Alfred
Ayers, Daniel J.
Ayers, Florence
Baldwin, Carl E.
Baldwin, Evelyn
Baldwin, Jessie M.
Baldwin, George A.
Baldwin, Martha B.
Baldwin, Walter D.
Baldwin, Roy
Baldwin, Blanch
Barnes, Viola C.
Barnes, Grace M.
Barrus, Henry N.
Bassett, Thomas J.
Bassett, Clarinda
Bellis, Basil
Bellis, Lillian
Bemis, Henry W.
Bemis, Addie F.
Bemis, Stella
Blair, Julia W.
Blake, Leroy S.
Blodgett, Alice M.
Blodgett, Marjorie
Blodgett, Willard M.
Bosworth, George M.
Bosworth, Winfred T.
Bosworth, Jessie W.
Boucher, Paul J.
Boyce, Ella
Brandt, Aurora
Brandt, Enoch Sr.
Brandt, Enoch Jr.
Brandt, Ralph A.
Brandt, Ellen
Breau, Herbert
Brouillard, Edwin
Brouillard, Lillian
Britton, Leon
Britton, Florence
Bullock, Janet E.
Bullock, Elizabeth I.
Byam, A. Waldo
Byam, Bessie B.
Blood, Arthur P.
Blood, Nina E.
Campbell, Lizzie
Carlson, John E.
Carlson, Mary P.
Carlson, Otto A.
Carlson, Ella J.
Chase, Frances F.
Chase, George D.
Chase, Dorothy F.
Chase, Jane E.
Chase, John H. Sr.
Chase, John H. Jr.
Chase, Dorothy E.
Chase, Rita
Cooper, Antoinette
Corey, Mary H.
Cox, Jane
Cushing, Hannah
Cushing, Edith
Chase, Millard W.
Day, Mary P.
Dahl, Lillian
Dahl, Frank
Damon, Clarence M.
Damon, Josephine
Davis, Mildred B.
Davis, Leona
Decatur, Maud A. W.
Decatur, Verne M.
Decatur, Julia W.
DeCota, Francis
DeCota, Mabel
DeCota, Emma
Demidoff, Nicholas A.
Demidoff, Lorna B.
Derby, Leora
Derosier, Estella M.
Dodge, Fred F.
Dodge, Margaret
Dort, Marjorie E.
Dunton, Arthur W.
Dunton, Elizabeth
Dunton, George F.
Dunton, Rachel
Dunn, Harry W.
Dunham, Victor R.
Dunham, Gladys B.
Duplease, James
Duplease, Olive
Duplease, Levi

Duplease, Alice
Duval, Henry
Dyer, Henry
Dyer, Hazel B.
Eckberg, John E.
Eckberg, Mary J.
Ellis, Oscar J.
Exel, Stephen A.
Exel, Ruth H.
Farinoli, Mary
Farrington, George H. E.
Farrington, Marion S.
Favreau, Bertha V.
Firmin, Horace B.
Firmin, Letitia W.
Firmin, Gertrude
Fisher, Ruth B.
Fisher, Edith
Fisher, Galen E.
Fisher, Jennie L.
Flagg, Hazel E.
Flagg, Warren A.
Francis, Henry W.
Francis, Delia M.
Fealey, Cecelia E.
Gallagher, Mrs. Rollin M.
Gannett, Bessie E.
Gannett, Anita G.
Gerry, Maye B.
Goddard, Charles H.
Goddard, Ethel
Gonyou, Clayton S.
Gonyou, Joyce
Gowey, Mabel
Gowey, Joseph R.
Gowey, Beatrice B.
Goodnow, Ethel
Gordon, Jasper
Gordon, Sally
Gordon, Mary W.
Grant, Hattie H. B.
Grant, Warren N.
Greenough, Theodore W.
Greenough, Jessie L.
Haapala, Aili
Hale, Eva
Hanninen, John
Hanninen, Mary
Hayden, Carrie
Hayden, Charles G.
Hayden, Herbert H.
Hebert, Clifford
Hebert, Nellie
Hedler, Albert
Hedler, Agnes
Hendrickson, Arvid
Hendrickson, Henry
Hesimacki, Lizzie
Hill, Reino
Hill, Myrtle
Hill, Eleanor
Hill, Atle
Hill, Hilda
Hill, Eino E.
Hill, Chrystal
Hill, Oiva S.
Hill, Tynne
Hind, Birdie S.
Hind, James H.
Hohendorf, Jennie L.
Howe, Mary
Howe, Norman
Holman, Annie M.
Holman, Clifford C.
Holman, Esther
Holman, Bertice
Holman, Gladys M.
Holman, Howard C.
Holman, Harry E.
Hongisto, Modena M.
Hongisto, Amelia
Hongisto, Eino
Hongisto, Gertrude
Howe, Carl E.
Huston, Lena D.
Jacobson, Ano
Jamsa, Victor
Jamsa, Lydia
Jarvi, Gus
Jarvi, William T.
Kallio, Ruth
Kaija, Edith
Kelley, Dorothy A.
Kendall, Phoebe M.
Kimball, Walter
Kimball, Marguerite
Knight, Mabel
King, Emily D.
Kohler, Theodore A.
Kohler, Evelyn S.
Korpi, George
Korpi, Emma
Kouvinen, Ina
Kovanen, Watti
Lammela, Mary
Lammela, John Sr.
Lammela, Jennie
Land, Rose V.
Lane, Ruth H.
Lawrence, Loretta
Lawrence, Eugene
LeGeyt, Eva
Lilback, Eino
Lilback, Lempi

Luopa, J. William
Luopa, Ellen
Luopa, Smersi
Luopa, Barbara
McKenzie, Beatrice
Mackey, Ruth M.
Maki, August
Maki, Mary
Mattson, Ida
Mattson, Aune
Mattson, Hannah
Mattson, Elizabeth
Mattson, John
Mattson, Oscar
Mattson, Dorothy Day
McCarthy, John V.
McCarthy, Hilma M.
McQuestion, Ida B.
McDonald, Warren J.
McDonald, Ethel
Meattey, Clifford
Meattey, Ernest
Meattey, Herman
Meattey, Ruth
Meattey, Tynne S.
Methe, Napoleon
Methe, Elvira
Michelson, Sami
Michelson, Lamoa
Mikkela, Waino
Miller, Pauline H.
Mitchell, Christine
Montgomery, Estrella
Morrison, Annie E.
Murray, Dewitt T.
Murray, Florence
Nattila, Jennie A.
Neal, Elaine W.
Neal, Andrew C.
Nolan, Rose C.
Olson, Abbie
Palmer, Ethel
Palmer, Edward B.
Patrai, Harland
Patterson, Frank B. Jr.
Patterson, Ellen
Patterson, Francis
Patterson, Rena
Patterson, Diane
Paul, Lucille B.
Paul, Edward D.
Pearson, Rita
Pelto, Isaac
Pelto, Hilda
Pelto, Rita
Pierce, Edson I.
Pierce, Myrtle
Pierce, Winfred
Pierce, Lolie R.
Pelkey, Edward F.
Pelkey, Bertha
Plante, Emile J. Sr.
Plante, Lucy B.
Plante, Elizabeth
Plante, Arthur J.
Plante, Jennie M.
Plante, Ruth M.
Pollary, Ida B.
Pollary, Laimo
Popple, Herbert W.
Popple, Nellie W.
Popple, Eliza
Poholeck, Paul
Poholeck, Rose
Puskala, Emil
Puskala, Hilma
Raitto, Hazel M.
Rawding, Otis G.
Rawding, Elva
Rice, Clinton H.
Rice, Hazel A.
Ricker, Williamina L.
Richards, Virginia C.
Rosenblad, Susanne
Roy, Edward
Roy, Dorothy
Rugg, Cleon
Rugg, Nelie
Russell, Olive W.
Russell, Leah
Russell, Janet I.
Russell, Trefle J.
Saari, John
Saari, Lizzie
Salo, Anton H.
Salo, Amelia
Sanders, Clara B.
Schaff, Elise
Shanks, James A.
Shanks, Mildred E.
Shea, Galdys
Sherman, Jane W.
Simpanen, Amelia
Smith, John
Smith, Anna
Smith, Mildred S.
Singleton, Frederick G.
Singleton, Marion
Spicer, Fannie B.
Spicer, George W.
Spicer, Warren G.
Spicer, Thelma L.
Sten, Aina
Stone, Arthur E.

Stone, Margaret E.
Stone, Laura
Stone, Roger L.
Stone, Elinor W.
Steinka, Gwendolyn
Steinka, Henry
Sorette, John L.
Sorette, Ruth R.
Southard, Edward
Southard, Mrs. Edward
Tainio, Antti
Tenney, Ralph L.
Tinsley, M. I.
Tinsley, E. L.
Thompson, Catherine
Thompson, Hosmer B.
Tommila, Elsie
Tommila, Oscar.
Tommila, Walter
Tommila, Vieno
Tommila, Felix
Tommila, Hilmi
Ujanen, John
Wagner, Laura
Wagner, Charles
Wade, Elmer M.
Wade, Harriet A.
Wear, Florence
Wear, Herbert S.
Wellman, Frank C.
Wellman, Maud
West, Elias
West, Julia
Wheeler, Annie
Wheeler, Robert G.
Wheelock, Dorothy C.
Whipple, Ernest W.
Whipple, Katherine
Whipple, Minnie
Whipple, William H. S.
Whipple, Henry
Whipple, Ruth N.
Whitcomb, G. Francis
Whitcomb, Katherine S.
Whitcomb, Josephine Anne
Whitcomb, Bernice M.
Whitcomb, Marshall P.
Whitcomb, Mabel
White, Isabel
White, Stephen E.
White, Ruth W.
Winters, Carl
Wilkins, Fred P.
Wilkins, Gladys M.
Weitti, John
Wolski, Edwin
Wolski, Demaris
Wood, Edward A.
Wood, Anna
Yon, Abe P.
Yon, Mary
Yon, Emily
Yon, Norma E.
Yon, Richard S.
Yon, Jennie

DOGS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1947

	Male	Female	Spayed
Angier, Wallace F.	1		
Baldwin, Carl E.			1
Baldwin, Fred A.			2
Baldwin, George A.			1
Barnes, Mrs. L. D. Sr.	1		
Bassett, Chester F.		1	
Barrus, Charles W.		1	
Bemis, Henry W.			1
Blair, Stephen B. Jr.	1		
Bullock, Benjamin L. Jr.			1
Bullock, Mrs. George	1		
Boyce, Mrs. Fred R.		1	
Boyce, Carleton E.	2		
Burleigh, Mrs. Wm. P.	1		
Byam, Charles & Arthur	1		
Case, Mrs. Paul			1
Carlson, John E.			1
Cox, Mrs. Irving	1		
Cushing, Jeremiah, Jr.	1		
Davis, William H.			1
Damon, John	1		
Demidoff, Nicholas A.	1		
Dodge, Fred F.	1		
Dunton, Arthur	1		
Dunton, George	1		
Dunton, George, Jr.			1
Dunham, Victor			1
Duval, Henry			1
Emerson, George S.	1		
Farrington, George			1
Firmin, Julius H.	1		
Flagg, Hazel E.	1		
Foster, A. E.	1		
Gannett, Franklyn			1
Goddard, Chas. H.	1		
Graham, Dorothy A.	1		1
Hanninen, John	1		
Hendrickson, Arvi	1		
Hedler, Agnes			1
Hebert, Clifford		1	
Holman, Bertice F.		1	
Holman, Howard C.	1		1
Holbrook, Mrs. Donald	1		
Hongisto, Mrs. Amelia	1		
Hongisto, Eino E.			1
Howe, Norman N.	1		
Howe, Ralph E.			1
Kelly, Mrs. Harold L.	1		
Kendall, Frank H.	1		
Koehler, Theodore	1		
Lillback, Eino	1		
MacDonald, Mrs. Ethel	1		
Maki, August			1
Mattson, Dorothy Day			1
Mattson, Myra	1		
Mattson, Edwin O.	1		
Mattson, John	1		
Meattey, Ernest J.	1		
Meyers, John	1		
Murray, Mrs. Florence	1		
Nattila, Mrs. Aileen			1
Nolan, Mrs. Rose	1		
Patterson, Mrs. Carl	1		
Paul, Mrs. Lucile			1
Pelkey, Edward F.		1	
Pierce, W. A.	1		
Poloheck, Mrs. Paul	1		
Raitto, Mrs. Hazel	1		
Rawding, Otis	1		
Rice, Clinton H.	1		1
Popple, Herbert W.			1
Russell, T. J.	1		
Saari, John	1		
Shea, Gladys D.	1		
Smith, John	1		
Smith, Mildred	1		
Spicer, Mrs. Fannie B.			1
Shanks, James	1		
Sherman, Harrie H.	1		
Sprague, Leroy W.			1
Stone, Arthur E.			1
Stone, Walter M.			1
Sturtevant, Charles H.			1
Tommila, Helmi	1		
Tommila, Oscar	1		
Tommila, Walter	3		
Wellman, Frank		1	
Webber, Marcia S.			1
Whipple, Henry	3		
White, Silas W.	1		
Whitcomb, Marshall P.	1		
Wilkins, Priscilla	1		
Wolski, Edwin	1		
Wood, Edward A.	1		
Yon, Philip J.	1		
Yon, Richard	1		
Monadnock Kennels Kennel License			

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and building	$50,000
Town hall, furniture and equipment	300
Library, land and building	5,000
Library, furniture and equipment	500
Police department equipment	300
Fire department, land and buildings	2,000
Fire department equipment	5,000
Park and common	500
Town scales	300
Highway department, land and buildings	300
Highway department equipment	8,000
Junior high school	10,000
Village grammar school	5,000
Columbian school	4,000
State Line school	2,000
	$93,200

TAX DEEDED PROPERTY

Arthur Blanchard, Smith lot 35a	$25
William Brown & Sons, Blodgett land 15a	50
Chester L. Bemis, Hayden pasture	175
Edwin C. Baker estate, home place and mill lot	1,700
Howe Lumber Co., Perry lot	400
Mary A. Haradon, building lot	50
F. D. Holman estate, Perry lot 3a	60
F. D. Holman estate, Beebe lot	50
William M. Whitney, quarry land 1a	100
Frank Sherrick estate, wood lot, 25a	200
Robert Morgan estate, Whitney lot 2a	50
	$2,860

INVOICE OF THE TOWN OF FITZWILLIAM

Invoice of the town of Fitzwilliam, N. H. for April 1, 1947, as taken and returned to the State Tax Commission, Concord, N. H.

Land and buildings	$858,588 00
Growing wood and timber	21,780 00
Electric plants	131,720 00
Horses, 32	2,550 00
Oxen, 2	300 00
Cows, 110	10,310 00
Sheep, 13	130 00
Hogs, 1	25 00
Fowls, 1,745 (1,345 taxable)	1,345 00
Boats and launches, 1	150 00
Wood and lumber	1,000 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,480 00
Stock in trade	13,460 00
Mills and machinery	10,300 00
Total	$1,053,138 00
Amount exempted to soldiers	$24,805 00
Amount exempted to blind	600 00
Poll taxes, 393	786 00
National Bank Stock Tax	11 00
Taxes committed to collector:	
Property tax	43,178 66
Poll taxes	786 00
National Bank Stock Tax	11 00
Total	$43,975 66

Tax rate $4.10 on a hundred dollars

The amount of taxes assessed by us on polls and estates in the town of Fitzwilliam April 1, 1947 is as fllows:

Town officers' salaries	$1,350 00
Town officers' expense and audit	990 00
Election and registration	100 00
Insurance	250 00
Town hall	600 00
Police department	300 00
Care of trees in common and streets	300 00
Fire Department	2,600 00
District Nurse	1,200 00
Town Dump	225 00
Town Road Aid	744 06
Town maintenance	10,000 00
Oiling town roads	3,000 00
Street lighting	1,104 00
Memorial tablet—Plante Memorial Park	175 00
Town hall toilets	400 00
Libraries	1,050 00
Old Age Assistance	1,500 00
Town Poor	1,000 00
Memorial Day	150 00
Reservoir for fire protection	3,500 00
Cemeteries	800 00
Precinct and Depot Park	350 00
Damage and legal expense	100 00
Monadnock Region Association	91 00
Interest	50 00
Depot Crossing Protection	1,200 00
County Tax	2,476 58
School Tax	15,957 00
Total	$51,562 64
Total appropriations	$51,562 64
Less estimated revenues and credits	8,374 59
	$43,188 05
Plus overlay	787 61
To be raised by taxation	$43,975 66

Less poll taxes	$786 00	
Less National bank stock tax	11 00	
		797 00
To be raised by property taxes		$43,178 66
Poll taxes		786 00
National bank stock tax		11 00
Total to be raised by taxation		$43,975 66

The foregoing is an invoice of the ratable estates and polls for resident and non-resident owners of land and other ratable property in the town of Fitzwilliam, county of Cheshire, State of New Hampshire, as taken by us April, 1, 1947, and a correct list of the Town, County and School taxes assessed by us on the same.

FRED R. BOYCE,
WALTER M. STONE,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Selectmen of Fitzwilliam.

Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire, Cheshire, ss.

We, the undersigned selectmen of Fitzwilliam, do solemnly swear that in making the invoice for the purpose of assessing the foregoing taxes, we appraised all the ratable property at full value, as we would appraise the same in judgment of a just debt to a solvent debtor.

FRED R. BOYCE,
WALTER M. STONE,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Selectmen of Fitzwilliam.

Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire, Cheshire, ss. April 8, 1947

Then personally appeared before me the above named selectmen, Fred R. Boyce, Walter M. Stone and Howard M. West and made oath that the above signed by them is true. Before me.

LEROY S. BLAKE,
Justice of the Peace.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF FITZWILLIAM

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948 Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year Jan. 1, 1947 to Dec. 31, 1947

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1947	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1947	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1948
From state:			
Interest and dividends tax	$3,945 86	$4,560 07	$4,500 00
Railroad tax	338 69	378 76	375 00
Savings bank tax	189 28	235 02	235 00
Reimbursement a/c State and federal forest lands	2 10	92 00	92 00
For fighting forest fires		1,172 91	
Class V highway maintenance	225 00		
From local sources except taxes:			
Rent of town hall and other buildings	103 50	77 50	75 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	5 23	17 47	15 00
S. Coffin S. A.		19 20	
Income of departments:			
B. & M. R. R.		12 00	
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment	300 00	204 94	200 00
Sale of cemetery lots	40 00	150 00	100 00
Town of Troy, forest fire		2,652 26	

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1947	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1947	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1948
Motor vehicle permit fees	834 51	1,423 98	1,400 00
To town hall reservoir account		2,070 80	
From local taxes other than property taxes:			
(a) Poll taxes—Regular @ $2	712 00	732 00	732 00
(b) National bank stock taxes	77 00	11 00	11 00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	$6,773 17	$13,809 91	$7,735 00
Amount to be raised by property taxes	41,284 47	42,226 41	57,392 05
Total revenues	$48,057 64	$56,036 32	$65,127 05

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations Previous Year 1947	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1947	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1948
Current maintenance expenses:			
General government:			
Town officers' salaries	$1,350 00	$1,414 10	$1,500 00
Town officers' expenses, audit and insurance	1,240 00	1,473 51	1,350 00
Election and registration expenses	100 00	83 50	250 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	600 00	634 97	700 00
Protection of persons and property:			
Police department	300 00	305 80	400 00
Fire department	2,600 00	8,371 99	2,500 00
Moth extermination—blister rust	300 00	307 01	100 00
Health:			
Town hall toilets	400 00		
District Nurse	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,300 00
Town dump	225 00	274 30	275 00
Highways and bridges:			
Town maintenance:			
Summer	5,000 00	6,370 19	6,500 00
Winter	5,000 00	6,122 57	6,500 00
Street lighting	1,104 00	1,100 01	1,100 00
Town road aid	744 06	744 06	744 00
Oiling town roads	3,000 00	3,224 37	3,000 00
Libraries:			
Libraries	1,050 00	1,050 00	1,200 00
Public welfare:			
Town poor	1,000 00	787 29	1,000 00
Old age assistance	1,500 00	1,280 65	1,500 00

	Appropriations Previous Year 1947	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1947	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1948
Patriotic purposes:			
Memorial day and veterans' associations	150 00	155 30	200 00
Plante memorial park	175 00	153 26	
Precinct and Plante park	350 00	300 00	350 00
Public service enterprises:			
Cemeteries	800 00	800 08	800 00
Unclassified:			
Damages and legal expenses	100 00	26 70	100 00
Advertising and Regional Associations	91 00	91 00	105 00
Interest:			
An temporary loans	50 00	67 29	75 00
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvement:			
Highways and bridges:			
New truck			3,000 00
Town hall reservoir	3,500 00	2,755 88	800 00
Depot R. R. crossing	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Town hall doors	150 00	14 00	
Fire alarm—depot	442 00	464 95	
Indebtedness:			
Payment on principal of debt:			
(e) Deficit of previous year			1,705 05
Payments to other governmental divisions:			
County taxes	2,476 58	2,476 58	2,500 00
Payments to school districts	15,957 00	14,973 83	25,573 00
Total expenditures	$52,154 64	$58,223 19	$65,127 05

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer, Jan. 1, 1948	$9,609 01	
Cash in hands of town clerk, Jan. 1, 1948	6 86	
Bounties due from state	72 00	
Due from trustees of trust funds	118 90	
Unredeemed taxes, 1947	85 85	
Unredeemed taxes, 1946	7 62	
Uncollected taxes, 1947	46 27	
Uncollected taxes, 1946	21 15	
Total assets	$9,967 66	
Deficit, 1947	1,705 05	
		$11,674 71

LIABILITIES

Tax collector	$27 32	
Balance reservoir appropriation	744 12	
Balance town hall doors appropriation	136 00	
Balance Plante park appropriation	50 00	
Town history appropriation	50 00	
Dog tax due to schools, 1947	211 47	
Balance school appropriation, 1946-47	10,455 80	
		$11,674 71

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Sources of revenue from state	$6,524 76	
From local sources except taxes	27,160 29	
From local taxes	43,121 36	
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1947	11,613 78	
		$88,420 19

FRED R. BOYCE,
WALTER M. STONE,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Selectmen.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

DETAIL NO. 1

Sources of Revenue from State

Bounties	$86 00	
Fighting forest fires	1,172 91	
Forest land tax reimbursement	92 00	
Savings bank tax	235 02	
Railroad tax	378 76	
Interest and dividend tax	4,560 07	
		$6,524 76

DETAIL NO. 2

From Local Sources Except Taxes

Dog licenses	$212 97
Rent of town hall	77 50
Motor vehicle permits	1,423 98
Trustees of trust funds, advance	271 81
Highway department, labor and materials	204 94
Sale of cemetery lots	150 00

Town of Troy—½ cost of forest fire	2,652 26	
Manuf. & Merchants Mutual Ins. Co., div.	6 45	
Traders & Mechanics Ins. Co., div.	6 45	
Town clerk, filing fees	14 00	
Trustees of trust funds, cap. res. fund	2,070 80	
Boston & Maine R. R. forest fire	12 00	
Sturgis Coffin, spl. acc. lanterns	19 20	
County of Cheshire, county poor	37 93	
Temporary loans	20,000 00	
		$27,160 29

DETAIL NO. 3

From Local Taxes

Property taxes, 1947	$42,226 41	
Poll taxes, 1947	732 00	
National Bank stock tax	11 00	
Poll taxes, previous years	26 00	
Property taxes, previous years	6 00	
Interest received	18 50	
Tax sales redeemed	101 45	
		$43,121 36

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries	$1,414 10
Town officers' expenses	1,217 42
Election and registration	83 50
Insurance	256 09
Town hall	634 97
Police Department	305 80
Fire Department	8,371 99
Care of trees	307 01
Bounties	72 00
Damage by dogs	1 50
District nurse	1,200 00
Town dump	274 30
Highways—Summer	6,370 19

Highways—Winter	6,122 57	
Oiling town roads	3,224 37	
Town road aid	744 06	
Street lighting	1,100 01	
Town library	1,050 00	
Old age assistance	1,280 65	
Town poor	787 29	
County poor	37 93	
Memorial Day	155 30	
Cemeteries	1,190 79	
Damage and legal expense	26 70	
Taxes bought by town	85 85	
Monadnock Region Association	91 00	
Temporary loans and interest	20,067 29	
Depot R. R. crossing	1,200 00	
Town hall doors	14 00	
Plante Memorial tablet	153 26	
Fire alarm	464 95	
Reservoir	2,755 88	
County tax	2,476 58	
Precinct and Plante Park	300 00	
School district	14,973 83	
		$78,811 18

FRED R. BOYCE,
WALTER M. STONE,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Selectmen.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL NO. 1

Town Officers' Salaries

Fred R. Boyce, selectman	$250 00	
Walter M. Stone, selectman	250 00	
Howard M. West, selectman	250 00	
Frances F. Chase, town clerk fees	194 10	
Sturgis Coffin, treasurer	150 00	
Sturgis Coffin, moderator	5 00	
Lolie R. Pierce, tax collector	250 00	
Clarence M. Damon, fire ward	5 00	
Arthur J. Plante, fire ward	5 00	
James H. Hind, fire ward	5 00	
Joseph B. Blodgett, town clock agent	50 00	
		$1,414 10

DETAIL NO. 2

Town Officers' Expenses

State Tax Commission, audit	$63 06
Assoc. N. H. Assessors, dues	2 00
U. S. Auto & Truck Guide	4 50
Frances F. Chase, town officers' bonds	71 00
A. F. McNaughton Agency, adding mach.	173 70
The Howe Press, tax bills	7 30
Chase's Book Store, supplies	46 73
Sentinel Printing Co., reports	465 50
Sentinel Printing Co., supplies	29 75
Julia W. Blair, P. M. stamped env.	51 14
Lolie R. Pierce, collector expense	44 15
Frances F. Chase, clerk expense	17 19
Sturgis Coffin, treasurer expense	5 03
Howard M. West, use of car and expenses	62 93
Howard M. West, clerical work	50 00

Walter M. Stone, use of car and expenses	63 44	
Fred R. Boyee, use of car	60 00	
		$1,217 42

DETAIL NO. 3

Election and Registration

Am. Legion Auxiliary, meals	$6 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., ballots	15 50	
Mrs. J. M. Derby, ballot clerk	5 00	
Bessie B. Byam, ballot clerk	5 00	
Ethel F. Angier, ballot clerk	5 00	
Isaac M. M. Damon, ballot clerk	5 00	
William H. Davis, supervisor	14 00	
Leroy S. Blake, supervisor	14 00	
Arthur E. Stone, supervisor	14 00	
		$83 50

DETAIL NO. 4

Insurance

Palmer Ins. Agency, town hall	$225 84	
Palmer Ins. Agency, town truck	30 25	
		$256 09

DETAIL NO. 5

Town Hall

Howard Clock Products Co., clock service	$41 60	
R. L. Winter, labor	16 00	
Holbrook Grocery Co., supplies	2 10	
N. H. Gas & Electric Co., electricity	74 00	
N. E. Tel & Tel. Co., telephone	37 72	
B. F. Chase, town hall agent	336 00	
Arthur B. Cleveland, cleaning floor	8 45	
Julius H. Firmin, mowing	3 00	
S. S. Stone & Sons, lumber and labor	14 10	
Eino Lilback, wood	102 00	
		$634 97

DETAIL NO. 6
Police Department

Herbert W. Popple, police work	$250 80	
Frank B. Patterson Jr., police work	35 25	
Edward F. Pelkey, police work	12 75	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing	7 00	
		$305 80

DETAIL NO. 7
Fire Department

Thayer Oil Co., oil	$57 88
N. H. Gas & Electric Co., electricity	27 21
Arthur J. Plante, gas	12 28
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	33 67
J. H. Davenport & Son, oil	11 60
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	7 21
Spencer Hardware Co., lanterns	19 20
Richard J. Yon, exp. chgs.	92
E. R. Reiman, repairs	14 00
Hope Rubber Co., hose, reel and sup.	329 23
A. W. Peters, oil	42 76
Blodgett Auto Service, gas and repairs	57 21
George Burckard, repairs	8 35
James A. Coffin, smoke masks and expander	275 52
Belcher Service Station, chains	34 15
Joseph B. Blodgett, labor	37 00
Carl Baldwin, steward	60 90
James H. Hind, labor and supplies	31 60
Edson I. Pierce, labor	4 00
Gorham Fire Ext. Co., refills	5 35
V. R. Chambers, recharges	7 50
Perkins, Bassett & Wright, guage	3 44
Leslie J. Brown, payroll	38 00
W. J. Whitcomb, payrolls	549 00
Edwin Mattson, payrolls	294 00
Sturgis Coffin, sp'l acc. payrolls	5,304 53
Sturgis Coffin, clerical work	25 00
M. D. Campbell, labor	109 95
Arvid Hendrickson, labor	42 20

Ernest Hendrickson, labor	31 90	
Alte Pelto, labor	68 25	
Thompssn Coal & Grain Co., cement	22 57	
Clifford Holman, labor	55 70	
Thomas Bassett, labor	19 80	
Howard Ellis, labor	37 90	
Frank Kendall, labor	218 00	
H. Gilmore & Co., supplies	6 05	
E. J. Plante, gas	1 13	
A. J. Plante, gas	9 02	
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	70	
Nims Plumbing Co., floor drain	3 36	
Aubuchon Co., supplies	6 63	
Arthur Whitcomb Inc., concerte	174 56	
Lena D. Huston, rent of barn	20 00	
S. S. Stone & Sons, lumber	24 50	
Daniel H. Bemis, steward and repairs	228 26	
		$8,371 99

DETAIL NO. 8

Care of Trees

B. F. Lawrence Tree Expert Co., trimming	$257 01	
B. F. Lawrence Tree Expert Co., spraying	50 00	
		$307 01

DETAIL NO. 9

Bounties

Fred R. Boyce, porcupines	$23 00	
Walter M. Stone, porcupines	7 50	
M. P. Whitcomb, porcupines	2 50	
Howard M. West, porcupines	39 00	
		$72 00

DETAIL NO. 10

Damage by Dogs

Chase's Book Store, dog notices	$1 50	
		$1 50

DETAIL NO. 11

District Nurse

Ella M. Emerson, appropriation	$1,200 00	
		$1,200 00

DETAIL NO. 12

Town Dump

R. L. Winter, care of dump	$274 30	
		$274 30

DETAIL NO. 13

Highways—Summer

M. D. Campbell, labor	$757 27
Arvid Hendrickson, labor	532 30
Alte Pelto, labor	620 95
Ernest Hendrickson, labor	445 18
Arthur J. Plante, gasoline	87 59
Sunoco Service Station, oil	23 65
Robertson Motor Co., repairs	75 01
Alfred Todd, truck	37 00
C. F. Richardson, truck	42 50
E. J. Plante, Sr., gas and supplies	108 90
C. A. Butler, truck	65 10
N. H. Gas & Electric Co., electricity	8 00
Collector of Internal Revenue, inc. tax	334 50
Frank H. Gannett, labor and gas	147 08
H. Gilmore & Co., supplies	14 27
Walter Young, labor	15 00
Lepisto Garage, repairs	249 17
Blodgett Auto Service, gas and supplies	315 62
M. P. Whitcomb, labor	10 50
Julius Firmin, mowing	173 70
Howard Ellis, labor	440 40
Brighton Steel Co., supplies	82 21
Edward F. Pelkey, labor	2 00
Octave Bernier, truck	101 05
Arthur Whitcomb, Inc., shovel	212 00
Ernest Meattey, labor	161 55
H. A. Lawrence, truck	246 75

Lynn Tire Co., repairs	11 80	
Edwin Yon, labor	75	
Trefle Meattey, labor	4 50	
Wallace Angier, labor	12 75	
Armas Pelto, truck	95 00	
Leslie Thrasher, truck	52 50	
Fred A. Baldwin, truck	197 50	
Francis Patterson, labor	1 30	
R. C. Buckley, bulldozer	117 50	
R. W. Stone, lumber	45 46	
Frank Kendall, labor	26 90	
S. S. Stone & Sons, repairs	42 75	
American Cyanamid Co., supplies	12 63	
N. E. Explosives Corp., supplies	19 54	
Holbrook Grocery Co., chloride and salt	32 80	
Jonas Damon Estate, lumber	23 20	
Walter Baldwin, labor	1 25	
Knowlton & Stone Co., supplies	20 23	
Omar Gauthier, gasoline	1 44	
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	6 96	
H. F. Davis Tractor Co., repairs	16 01	
Atle Hill, labor	14 62	
Walter E. Emerson, supplies	52 37	
Arlen Foster, gravel	1 60	
Goodspeed Machine Co., repairs	12 50	
Clifford Holman, labor	7 20	
Tommila Bro's., lumber	52 08	
Thomas Bassett, labor	117 60	
Southwestern Petroleum Co., supplies	23 00	
Sunshine Stores Inc.,	37 20	
		$6,370 19

DETAIL NO. 14

Highways—Winter

M. D. Campbell, labor	$868 70
Arvid Hendrickson, labor	432 85
Alte Pelto, labor	507 30
Ernest Hendrickson, labor	421 40
Howard Ellis, labor	141 95

Thomas Bassett, labor	72 30
Enoch Brandt, labor	2 70
Armas Pelto, truck and labor	143 00
Francis Patterson, truck	274 90
Donald Patterson, labor	15 45
Lizzie Campbell, clerical work	50 00
Frank H. Gannett, labor and gas	160 39
Leon Shea, truck	455 25
John Chase Jr., truck	24 00
Robertson Motor Co., repairs	159 98
Sunshine Stores, Inc., supplies	44 00
Sunoco Service Station, oil	33 56
N. E. Explosives Corp., supplies	75 95
Arthur J. Plante, gas and oil	89 09
Dr. A. B. Skelton, medical service	7 50
Fitzwilliam Auto Body Co., gas	20 51
American Cyanamid Co., supplies	12 27
Blodgett Auto Service, gas and repairs	83 91
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	42 55
E. R. Reiman, gas and repairs	20 63
Collector of Internal Revenue, inc. tax	112 10
E. J. Plante Sr., gas and supplies	90 78
Walter Mattson, labor	11 70
O. A. Symons, repairs	3 96
R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc., snow plows	965 48
Julius H. Firmin, tractor and labor	297 10
Fred Streeter, labor	11 25
H. Gilmore & Co., supplies	9 50
Thompsn Coal & Grain Co., chloride and salt	67 00
Lepisto Garage, repairs	100 98
N. H. Gas & Electric Co., electricity	3 20
Roger L. Stone, supplies	1 24
Trefle Meattey, labor	1 30
Troy & Fitzwilliam Coal Co., coal	18 84
Lee's Service Station, supplies	11 00
John Firmin, labor	3 25
David Meattey, labor	3 00
Edwin Brouillard, labor	7 50
David Gordon, labor	4 55

Donald Sprague, labor	18 00	
Wallace Angier, labor	22 85	
Basil Bellis, labor	11 25	
Fred Steinka, labor	3 75	
Edson Pierce, labor	1 88	
H. F. Davis Tractor Co., supplies	18 80	
James H. Hind, wiring	40 00	
R. G. Wheeler, gasoline	2 80	
R. W. Stone, lumber	9 85	
Fred P. Wilkins, vise	5 00	
W. G. Greenall, oil	6 00	
All States Steel Co., repair links	16 66	
J. B. McGregor, welding	19 91	
Weston Holman, labor	2 70	
Ernest Meattey, labor	33 75	
Walter Mann, coal	19 65	
Lloyd Holman, labor	5 85	
		$6,122 57

DETAIL NO. 15

Oiling Town Roads

M. D. Campbell, labor	$118 33
Arvid Hendrickson, labor	91 81
Alte Pelto, labor	99 60
Ernest Hendrickson, labor	75 51
Howard Ellis, labor	72 68
Robert Dunton, labor	35 26
Ernest Meattey, labor	61 83
Fred Baldwin, truck	177 50
Arthur Whitcomb, Inc., Durfee mix	208 37
Leslie Thrasher, truck	32 50
Walter Salminen, bulldozer	20 00
Wallace Angier, labor	12 38
Armas Pelto, truck	107 50
Walter Mattson, labor	6 38
Trefle Meattey, labor	7 50
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., asphalt	2,018 52
Susanne Anderson, sand	8 40
Watti Kovanen, labor	11 15

R. L. Stone, truck	45 00	
Edwin Yon, labor	3 00	
Eugene Meattey, labor	11 15	
		$3,224 37

DETAIL NO. 16
Town Road Aid

State of N. H., appropriation, 1947	$744 06	
		$744 06

DETAIL NO. 17
Street Lighting

N. H. Gas & Electric Co.	$1,100 01	
		$1,100 01

DETAIL NO. 18
Town Library

F. R. Parker, treas., appropriation, 1947	$1,050 00	
		$1,050 00

DETAIL NO. 19
Old Age Assistance

State of N. H., 25%	$1,280 65	
		$1,280 65

DETAIL NO. 20
Town Poor

Aid to town cases	$787 29	
		$787 29

DETAIL NO. 21
County Poor

Aid to county case	$37 93	
		$37 93

DETAIL NO. 22

Memorial Day

Walter M. Stone, flags	$27 50	
Walter M. Stone, drum corps	75 00	
Rodney C. Woodman, geraniums	52 80	
		$155 30

DETAIL NO. 23

Cemeteries

George A. Baldwin, pay rolls	$800 08	
Trustees Trust Funds, pay rolls	390 71	
		$1,190 79

DETAIL NO. 24

Damage and Legal Expense

Esther G. Bennett, deceased R. E. owners	$ 30	
Winfield M. Chaplin, transfer cards	21 40	
Leroy S. Blake, cemetery deeds	5 00	
		$26 70

DETAIL NO. 25

Taxes Bought By Town

Lolie R. Pierce, taxes	$71 70	
Lolie R. Pierce, interest	47	
Lolie R. Pierce, costs	13 68	
		$85 85

DETAIL NO. 26

Advertising and Regional Associations

Monadnock Region Ass'n., approp., 1947	$91 00	
		$91 00

DETAIL NO. 27

Temporary Loans

Winchester Nat. Bank, notes	$20,000 00	
Winchester Nat. Bank, interest	67 29	
		$20,067 29

DETAIL NO. 28

Depot R. R. Crossing

Boston & Maine R. R., signal and gong	$1,200 00	
		$1,200 00

DETAIL NO. 29

Town Hall Doors

Nils A. Hanson, latch	$14 00	
		$14 00

DETAIL NO. 30

Plante Memorial Tablet

Newman Bro's., Inc., tablet	$144 00	
Philip J. Yon, exp. chgs, and expense	9 26	
		$153 26

DETAIL NO. 31

Fire Alarm

The Gamewell Co., automatic valve	$423 55	
James H. Hind, wiring and supplies	40 75	
The Gamewell Co., fuses	65	
		$464 95

DETAIL NO. 32

Reservoir

Edward F. Pelkey, cutting wood	$26 50	
Fred Singleton, cutting wood	27 50	
M. D. Campbell, labor	32 50	
Arvid Hendrickson, labor	25 50	
Ernest Hendrickson, labor	25 50	
Alte Pelto, labor	27 20	
Eino Lilback, team	25 88	
Howard Ellis, labor	4 50	
Thomas Bassett, labor	1 80	
Arthur Whitcomb, Inc., contract price	2,559 00	
		$2,755 88

DETAIL NO. 33

State and County

County Treasurer, county tax	$2,476 58	
		$2,476 58

DETAIL NO. 34

Precinct and Plante Park

Arthur J. Plante, part approp., 1947	$50 00	
Fred R. Boyce, approp., 1947	200 00	
B. F. Lawrence Tree Expert Co., spraying	50 00	
		$300 00

DETAIL NO. 35

School District

Balance approp. for 1946-47	$9,262 15	
Dog tax, 1946	211 68	
Part appropriation for 1947-48	5,500 00	
		$14,973 83

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Calendar Year 1947

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1947		$11,613 78
N. H. State Treasurer:		
Hedgehog bounties	$86 00	
Refund, forest fire expense	1,172 91	
Reimbursement tax, public lands	92 00	
Interest and dividend tax	4,560 07	
Railroad tax	378 76	
Savings bank tax	235 02	
		$6,524 76
Frances F. Chase, town clerk (see her report)		1,650 95
Bertrand F. Chase, agent, town hall rents		77 50
M. D. Campbell, highway agent, (see selectmen's report)		204 94
George A. Baldwin, supt., sale cemetery lots		150 00
Lolie R. Pierce, tax collector, (see her report)		43,121 36
Winchester National Bank, temporary loans		20,000 00
Trustees of Trust Funds, repay advances and interest		2,342 61
Town of Troy, N. H., share, ½, Oct. 23, forest fire		2,652 26
Merch. & Mechan, Mutual Insur. Co., dividend on policy		6 45
Traders & Mechan, " " " "		6 45
B. & M. R. R. Co., services, men fighting fire		12 00
Forest fire special account, transfer		19 20
Cheshire County, reimbursement for outside aid		37 93
		$88,420 19

DISBURSEMENTS

Selectmen's orders paid,	$78,811 18
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1947	9,609 01
	$88,420 19

Respectfully submitted,
STURGIS COFFIN,
Town Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Jan. 1, 1947 to Dec. 31, 1947

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1947			$ 11
Motor vehicle permits:			
1946-1947 motor vehicle permits		$37 89	
1947-1948 motor vehicle permits		1,388 90	
			$1,426 79
Dog licenses issued		$246 84	
Less fees retained	$21 80		
Eastman bill	8 13		
		29 93	216 91
Filing fees, (town officers)			14 00
			$1,657 81
Remitted to treasurer:			
Motor vehicle permits		$1,423 87	
Dog licenses		212 97	
Filing fees		14 00	
Cash		11	
			$1,650 95
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1948		$6 86	

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCES F. CHASE,
Town Clerk

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

SUMMARY OF WARRANT—LEVY OF 1947

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1947

Dr.

Taxes committed to collector:			
Property	$43,178 66		
Polls	786 00		
National Bank stock tax	11 00		
		$43,975 66	
Added taxes:			
Polls		4 00	
Interest collected		1 88	
			$43,981 54

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Remittances to treasurer:			
Property	$42,237 41		
Polls	732 00		
Interest	1 88		
		$42,971 29	
Abatements:			
Property	$69 70		
Polls	20 00		
		89 70	
Discounts allowed		901 60	

Uncollected taxes:			
Property	$6 27		
Polls	40 00		
		46 27	
			$44,008 86
Over remitted			$27 32

SUMMARY OF WARRANT—LEVY OF 1945
Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1947

Dr.		
Cash on hand (interest)		$1 00
Uncollected taxes	$18 60	
Interest collected		1 08
	$18 60	$2 08
Cr.		
Remittances to treasurer	$18 60	$2 08

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNT
Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1947

Dr.

	Tax Sale Account of Levy of				
	1947	1946	1945	1944	1943
Unredeemed taxes		$14 18	$33 08	$29 90	$21 06
Tax sale—1947	$85 85				
Interest collected		27	4 46	2 88	3 20
	$85 85	$14 45	$37 54	$32 78	$24 26
Cr.					
Remittances to treas.		6 56	33 08	26 54	17 70
Interest		27	4 46	2 88	3 20
*Unredeemed	85 85	7 62			
Abated costs				3 36	3 36
	$85 85	$14 45	$37 54	$32 78	$24 26

*Unredeemed taxes	1947	1946	1945	1944	1943
Walter Nichols	$7 54	$7 62			
Millard Chase	17 82				
Haven Hall	44 69				
Van C. Lawrence Est.	15 30				
	$85 85	$7 62			

List of uncollected poll taxes as of Dec. 31, 1947:

Brandt, Enoch Jr.
Britton, Leon
Britton, Florence
Carlson, Otto
Carlson, Ella J.
Chase, John Jr.
Chase, Dorothy E.
Chase, Rita
DeCota, Mabel
DeCota, Emma
Dyer, Hazel
Dyer, Fred
Gowey, Joseph
Gowey, Beatrice
Goodnow, Ethel
Holman, Esther
Lawrence, Eugene (paid December 31st.)
Lawrence, Loretta (paid December 31st.)
Mattson, Elizabeth
Winters, Carl

Respectfully submitted,

LOLIE R. PIERCE,
Tax Collector.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

INVENTORY

	Condition
1 Grind stone	good
1 Dodge truck and tools	good
1 Road roller	good
1 Compressor and equipment	good
1 Cement mixer	good
1 Brush shears	good
1 Stone crusher	poor
1 Culvert cleaner	good
2 Cross cut saws	good
2 Garden rakes	good
2 Flares	good
4 Lanterns	fair
2 Dynamite containers	good
1 Cap container	good
1 New road sander	good
1 Road sander	poor
1 Stone drag	fair
2 Small road drags	fair
4 Iron bars	good
2 Striking hammers	good
4 Chains	good
2 Road machines	fair
1 Derrick, mast and boom	poor
1 Stone hammer	good
2 Forks	good
2 Axes	good
2 Bog hoes	good
1 Set of blocks	good
2 Brush scythes and snaths	good
2 Scythes	good
3 Snow shovels	good
6 Round pointed shovels	good

3	Square pointed shovels	good
4	Picks	poor
1	Set 4 boiler wheels	good
4	Blast drills	good
12	Plug wedges and shims	good
1	Post hole shovel	good
6	Plug drills	good
2	Sets of chains for truck	good
35	Sticks of .dynamite	
75	blasting caps	
500	ft. bridge plank	

SNOW EQUIPMENT

1	Tractor and plow	good
3	V-type metal plows	good
6500	ft. snow fence	fair
500	Iron posts	fair
1	One way plow	good

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Town of Fitzwilliam for Fiscal Year ended Dec. 31, 1947

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GEORGE S. EMERSON,
FRANCIS R. PARKER,
LOUIS M. WEBB,
Trustees.

December 20, 1947.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF FITZWILLIAM ON DECEMBER 31, 1947

Date of Creation	Trust Funds	Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Per Cent Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1898									
	Jude Damon Cemetery Fund		Cheshire County Savings Bank	$200.00	2½	$40.55	$6.04	$6.00	$40.59
	John Allen " "		" " " "	100.00	2½	6.29	2.67	3.00	5.96
1903									
Sept. 1	Sarah A. Carter " "		" " " "	100.00	2½	8.84	2.73	3.00	8.57
Sept. 1	Daniel A. Spaulding Cemetery Fund		" " " "	200.00	2½	61.81	6.57	6.00	62.38
1904									
March	Clarissa Bemis	" "	" " " "	25.00	2½	1.43	.66	0.00	2.09
1911									
March	Dexter Collins	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	5.14	1.38	3.00	3.52
March	Charles F. Pope	" "	" " " "	150.00	2½	36.36	4.68	6.00	35.04
March	Nancy Cox	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	2.86	1.31	1.00	3.17
March	Elliot Wheelock	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.59	2.77	3.00	10.36
March	William H. Bent	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.02	1.28	1.00	1.30
Apr. 1	William H. Bent	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	5.96	1.39	3.00	4.35
1910									
April	Harriet W. Stearns	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	9.65	2.75	3.00	9.40
1912									
Mar.	Jonas Thompson	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	2.50	1.31	1.00	2.81
1914									
April 1	Sarah A. Haskell	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.88	1.27	1.00	1.15
April 1	O. K. Wheelock	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.88	1.27	1.00	1.15
April 1	Wyman S. White	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.62	1.27	1.00	.89
April 27	William H. Shirley	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	—4.95	2.39	0.00	—2.56
1915									
Oct. 6	Philip D. Angier	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	14.57	2.88	3.00	14.45
April	Albert E. Nichols	" "	" " " "	200.00	2½	76.78	6.95	6.00	77.73
1916									
April 1	Martin S. Deeth	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.55	1.29	1.00	1.84
March 13	Eliza C. Winslow Library fund		" " " "	300.00	2½	349.30	16.32	0.00	365.62
Oct. 6	Horatio Winslow Cemetery fund		" " " "	200.00	2½	46.33	6.19	3.00	49.52

1917									
April 2	Timothy N. Carroll Cemetery Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank	50.00	2½	1.36	1.29	0.00	2.65
April 2	Charles A. Stone " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.36	1.29	0.00	2.65
1918								
March 13	B. F. Cummings " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.36	1.29	0.00	2.65
March 28	Nathaniel Lowell " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.85	2.78	3.00	10.63
July 31	Junetta Simonds " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.99	2.78	3.00	10.77
1919								
March 24	David Perry " "	" " " "	150.00	2½	21.78	4.30	3.00	23.08
1920								
March 17	Albert L. Ellis " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.36	1.29	1.00	1.65
March 17	Edwin N. Bowen " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.56	1.29	1.00	1.85
March 22	Asa Brewer " "	" " " "	150.00	2½	14.60	4.13	3.00	15.73
March 27	Harvey A Clark " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.06	1.28	1.00	1.34
June 18	A. Wilson Kimball " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.06	1.28	1.00	1.34
June 18	Oliver Darling " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	5.70	2.65	3.00	5.35
1921								
April 1	Charles Perry " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	6.81	2.68	3.00	6.49
April 1	Abner Gage " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	7.45	2.69	3.00	7.14
April 1	Stillman Taylor " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.35	2.77	3.00	10.12
April 1	Lizzie Foster " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.35	2.77	3.00	10.12
Dec. 16	Mary J. Wheelock " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.35	2.77	3.00	10.12
1922								
Jan. 14	Daniel Simonds " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	9.95	2.75	3.00	9.70
Oct. 24	Anson G. Beebe " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	9.95	2.75	3.00	9.70
1923								
March 20	Philemon Fairbanks " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.35	2.77	3.00	10.12
May 29	Webster M. Towne " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.90	2.78	3.00	10.68
Oct. 6	Caleb Boyce " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.26	1.24	1.00	1.54
Oct. 31	Albert F. Wilson " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.90	2.78	3.00	10.68
Nov. 5	John G. Donnelly " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.90	2.78	3.00	10.68
Dec. 14	Mary W. Wheeler " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.09	1.28	1.00	1.37
Dec. 14	Henry H Wheeler " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.35	1.28	1.00	1.63
1924								
March 14	Reuben E. White " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.06	1.28	1.00	1.34
March 14	I. Nelson Brewer " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.39	1.29	1.00	1.68
June 26	Sylvender B. Forristall " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	12.57	2.81	3.00	12.38
1925								
April 21	Joseph Blodgett, Jr. " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.10	1.28	1.00	1.38
May 9	Sumner Reed " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	3.96	2.60	3.00	3.56
May 12	Marion O. Simonds Library Fund	" " " "	100.00	2½	0.00	2.51	2.51	0.00
May 20	Amos J. Blake Cemetery Fund	" " " "	100.00	2½	24.36	3.11	3.00	24.47
Sept. 8	Levi G. Smith " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.10	1.28	1.00	1.38

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1926										
May	14	William A. Davis Cemetery Fund		Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	13.87	2.85	3.00	13.72
Feb.	9	Leslie A. Phillips Library Fund		Monadnock Savings Bank	1,000.00	2	0.00	20.10	20.10	0.00
July	8	Franklin Kendall Cemetery Fund		" " "	100.00	2	0.00	2.01	2.01	0.00
1927										
July	12	Timothy S. Reed	" "	Cheshire County Savings Bank	50.00	2½	.61	1.27	1.00	.88
1928										
Jan.	27	Ora Holman	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	13.10	2.84	3.00	12.94
1929										
March	25	Artemas Wilson	" "	" " "	100.00	2½	13.65	2.85	3.00	13.50
March	25	Benjamin Wilson	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	11.21	2.79	3.00	11.00
March	25	Charles B. Wilson	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	10.69	2.78	3.00	10.47
April	3	Samuel S. Stone	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	15.21	2.89	3.00	15.10
April	19	Luke Bowker	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	18.66	2.98	3.00	18.64
July	3	Charles A. Newton	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	8.67	2.73	3.00	8.40
September	7	Loren J. Pease	" "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.83	1.28	1.00	1.10
1930										
March	31	Milton W. Flagg	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	13.08	2.84	3.00	12.92
April	26	Mary D. Fairbanks	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	12.25	2.81	3.00	12.06
June	28	Dennis A. Hayden	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	11.98	2.80	3.00	11.78
August	5	Armo W. Streeter Scholarship Fund		" " " "	2,000.00	2½	0.00	50.31	50.31	0.00
September	8	Lester K. Stiles Cemetery Fund		" " " "	100.00	2½	12.93	2.83	3.00	12.76
May	14	Thomas L. Felch	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	13.61	2.85	3.00	13.46
May	14	Samuel Felch	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	13.61	2.85	3.00	13.46
September	25	Geo. W. Estabrook	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	13.61	2.85	3.00	13.46
1931										
May	5	Charles Gowen	" "	" " " "	150.00	2½	26.64	4.43	3.00	28.07
September	2	Eliza J. Kimball	" "	" " " "	200.00	2½	39.87	6.02	6.00	39.89
1933										
January	30	Mary A. Reed	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	9.70	2.75	3.00	9.45
January	30	Mary Annette Davis	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	9.70	2.75	3.00	9.45

1934									
April	20	Julia M. Royce Cemetery Fund	Keene Savings Bank	50.00	2	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00
April	20	Henry C. Tenney " "	" " "	50.00	2	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00
August	31	Lester Flagg " "	" " "	75.00	2	0.00	1.50	1.50	0.00
August	31	Eugene F. Clark " "	" " "	1,000.00	2	100.52	22.11	10.00	112.63
1935									
May	24	Josephine Timlow " "	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	8.87	2.73	3.00	8.60
July	12	Cora B. Streeter " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	8.87	2.73	3.00	8.60
October	11	Woman's Relief Corps " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.09	1.26	1.00	.35
October	11	Charles Whittemore " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	7.26	2.69	3.00	6.95
1936									
Nov.	10	George L. Bemis " "	Monadnock Savings Bank	100.00	2	0.00	2.01	2.01	0.00
1937									
March	16	George W. Ellis " "	" " "	100.00	2	0.00	2.01	2.01	0.00
Feb.	10	Thomas Perry " "	Keene Savings Bank	50.00	2	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00
March	18	Julia B. Robbins " "	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	2½	15.02	5.40	6.00	14.42
Sept.	17	Walter J. Putney " "	" " " "	75.00	2½	.99	1.89	1.00	1.88
Sept.	17	Perley W. Reed " "	" " " "	125.00	2½	5.86	3.28	3.00	6.14
Nov.	23	William B. Flagg " "	Monadnock Savings Bank	95.00	2	0.00	1.90	1.90	0.00
1938									
Sept.	9	Eva M. Fisher " "	Cheshire County Savings Bank	50.00	2½	.45	1.27	0.00	1.72
Sept.	9	Rodney F. Cudworth " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	2.25	2.57	2.00	2.82
Oct.	18	Charles E. Jefferson " "	" " " "	200.00	2½	10.22	5.28	3.00	12.50
1939									
Jan.	28	James H. Smith " "	" " " "	200.00	2½	10.66	5.29	3.00	12.95
1940									
Nov.	29	Horatio N. Fairbanks " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.67	1.27	0.00	1.94
May	15	John Platts " "	1 share Peerless Casualty Co. Par	100.00	6	18.71	6.52	3.00	22.23
Dec.	11	Julia B. Robbins " "	Cheshire County Savings Bank	1,500.00	2½	163.78	41.45	15.50	189.73
Dec.	11	Julia A. Bartlett Library Fund	" " " "	1,500.00	2½	.53	37.74	38.27	0.00
1941									
Sept.	26	Emile J. & Lucy F. Plante Cemetery Fd.	" " " "	50.00	2½	.65	1.27	0.00	1.92
Dec.	29	Annie L. Colby Cemetery Fund	" " " "	100.00	2½	1.85	2.55	2.00	2.40
1942									
Jan.	5	Annie L. Colby Library Fund	" " " "	154.04	2½	0.00	3.87	3.87	0.00
Sept.	15	E. Haring Dickinson Cemetery Fund	" " " "	500.00	2½	18.15	13.03	10.00	21.18
Dec.	10	George Wilson " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	.51	1.08	0.00	1.59
1943									
May	11	Geo. W. Forristall " "	" " " "	50.00	2½	1.71	1.29	0.00	3.00
July	27	Charles D. Bigelow " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	2.55	2.57	2.00	3.12
Nov.	24	William E. Holman " "	" " " "	200.00	2½	12.46	5.34	0.00	17.80
Dec.	21	Delia Whitcomb " "	" " " "	100.00	2½	4.97	2.63	3.00	4.60

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1944										
Mar.	28	Winfield M. Chaplin Cemetery Fund		Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	2½	9.70	5.26	3.61	11.35
Mar.	28	Henry Handy	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	1.20	2.54	0.00	3.74
Apr.	5	Mary W. Gordon	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	6.39	2.67	0.00	9.06
Nov.	8	Rosetta Matthews	" "	" " " "	150.00	2½	1.91	3.80	3.00	2.71
Dec.	18	Clarence A. Stone	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	1.38	2.54	0.00	3.92
1946										
Mar.	26	Sarah A. Burpee	" "	" " " "	150.00	2½	0.00	3.77	3.77	0.00
Apr.	22	Thomas M. Blodgett	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	1.04	2.54	0.00	3.58
Apr.	22	Oren Brooks	" "	" " " "	150.00	2½	1.56	3.80	3.00	2.36
June	24	Frank T. Angier	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	.63	2.51	0.00	3.14
Sept.	27	Hilna Levela	" "	" " " "	100.00	2½	0.00	2.51	0.00	2.51
Sept.	27	Carrie S. Cross	" "	" " " "	200.00	2½	0.00	5.03	3.00	2.03
1947										
		Charles L. Haskell	" "	One United States G Bond	100.00	2½	0.00	1.25	0.00	1.25
		Arthur T. Byam	" "	" " " " "	100.00	2½	0.00	1.25	0.00	1.25
June	26	Grace M. Hadley	" "	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	0.00	.63	0.00	.63
Aug.	11	Nahum Parker	" "	5 Shares Chase National Bank			0.00	4.00	0.00	4.00
Nov.	10	Mary Agnes Sanborn	" "	" " " " "			0.00	2.00	0.00	2.00
Apr.	23	Ada R. Esdaile Library Fund		Cheshire County Savings Bank	164.65		0.00	1.45	0.00	1.45
		" " " " "		22 Shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.			0.00	148.50	148.50	0.00
		" " " " "		10 " Am. Sugar Ref. Co.			0.00	35.00	35.00	0.00
				TOTALS	$19573.69		$1614.39	$703.34	$585.87	$1731.86

TOWN HALL AGENT'S REPORT

From Jan. 1, 1947 to Jan. 1, 1948

Number of times town hall opened		149
Number of times town hall opened free		102
For the Girl Scouts	37	
For the Boy Scouts	26	
For the schools	12	
For the town	3	
For American Legion and Auxiliary	13	
For District Nursing Association	6	
For Firemen	1	
For Federated Church	1	
For Planning Board	3	
		102
Cash received for rent of halls		$77 50
From Fitzwilliam Grange No. 154	$43 50	
From Grange Card Parties	3 00	
From Assoc. Sportsmen's Club	21 00	
From Library Sewing Circle	1 00	
From Mrs. N. A. Demidoff	3 00	
From Mr. Campbell of Boston	5 00	
From Fitzwilliam Garden Club	1 00	
Paid to Sturgis Coffin, town treasurer		$77 50

Respectfully submitted,

BERTRAND F. CHASE,

Town Hall Agent.

FIRE WARD'S REPORTS

The clerks of the two companies report the following fires for the year 1947.

ENGINE NO. 1

1 Dump fire.
1 house fire.
1 Oil stove explosion.
10 Brush fires
2 Chimney fires.
1 Auto fire, State Line.

ENGINE NO. 2

5 Chimney fires.
1 Bath house fire, Oscar Mattson.
1 Auto fire by Holman farms.
1 House fire, Levi Duplease, total loss.
5 Brush fires.

Both companies seem to be in good shape and well equipped. A cement floor has been laid in Engine No. 1 house; also an oil heater. Also a dam has been built back of town hall for water supply for fire protection.

Respectfully submitted,
CLARENCE M. DAMON,
ARTHUR J. PLANTE,
JAMES H. HIND,
Fire Wards.

REPORT OF TOWN CEMETERIES

Appropriations from the town	$800 00
DISBURSEMENTS	
George A. Baldwin, 378½ hrs. @ .80c	$302 80
Tom McCool, 337½ hrs. @ .60c	202 50
Fred Baldwin with truck, 35 hrs @ $2.50 per. hr.	87 50
Walter M. Stone, 4 hrs. @ 85c	3 30
George F. Dunton Jr., 143½ hrs @ .70c	100 45
Robert Dunton, 81 hrs. @ .75c	60 75
Use of truck and horse for season	40 00
L. D. Barnes & Sons Store, supplies	2 68
	$800 08
Collected for two lots sold in 1927 at Pine Grove cemetery by H. W. Bemis $10.00 each	$20 00
Sold five lots at Pine Grove cemetery:	
1 to non-resident	50 00
4 to residents at $20.00	80 00
Paid town treasurer	$150 00

GEORGE A. BALDWIN,
Superintendent and Sexton.

REPORT OF VILLAGE DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31, 1946	Cash on hand	$31 41	
Mar. 11, 1947	town appropriation	250 00	
			$281 41

DISBURSEMENTS

B. F. Chase, labor	$139 90	
B. F. Chase, repairs on mowers	6 50	
B. F. Chase, chloride	2 50	
B. F. Chase, lawn clippers	3 00	
Jonas Damon Estate, fence rails, 11	13 20	
Daniel H. Bemis, new seats and rail irons	48 18	
Stephen Axel, labor and paint, rails	19 67	
Town of Fitzwilliam spraying trees on the common	50 00	
		$282 95
Dec. 31, 1947 appropriation overdraft	$1 54	

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS M. WEBB,
FRANCIS R. PARKER,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Commissioners.

REPORT OF VILLAGE DISTRICT TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31, 1946, cash on hand	$31 41
Dec. 31, 1947, received from town	250 00
	$281 41
Deficit over expended	1 54
	$282 95

DISBURSEMENTS

B. F. Chase, six orders	$151 90
Jonas Damon Est., one order	13 20
Daniel Bemis, one order	48 18
S. A. Exel, one order	19 67
Part of spraying job	50 00
	$282 95

Respectfully submitted,

FRED R. BOYCE,

Treasurer

REPORT OF PLANTE MEMORIAL PARK COMMISSION

1947

EXPENDITURES

April 26	Leonard Meattey		$3 20
	Treffle Meattey		2 00
	Weston Holman		3 20
May 13	Frank Kendall		3 00
May 17	Weston Holman		3 00
May 26	Roger Goodnw		75
May 27	Philip Yon, lime		80
May 29	Weston Holman		9 00
June 10	Weston Holman		3 75
June 19	Joe Dustin		2 00
June 27	Weston Holman		4 50
June 28	Weston Holman		1 50
July 5	Weston Holman		3 18
July 8	Weston Holman		3 35
Aug. 1	Weston Holman		3 35
Aug. 15	Weston Holman		3 35
Aug. 30	Weston Holman		3 00
Amount expended 1947			$52 93
Indebted to A. J. Plante for 1947			12 58
Expended 1947			$65 51
Received from selectmen		$50 00	
Due from selectmen		50 00	
			$100 00
Balance unexpended			$34 49

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP J. YON,
ARTHUR J. PLANTE,
CHARLES H. STURTEVANT,
Trustees Plante Memorial Park.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE ELLIOT INSTITUTE

For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1947

RECEIPTS

1947		
Jan. 1	Balance in Cheshire Nat. Bank	$733 21
	Dividends:	
	First Nat. Bank of Boston	33 75
	Chemical Bank and Trust Co.	23 40
	Peerless Casualty Company	52 50
	Pac. Gas. and Elect. Pref.	33 75
	U. S. Savings bonds G	50 00
	Coupons:	
	Canadian Nat. R. R. 4½s	45 00
	Prov. of Manitoba 4½s	17 50
Feb. 20	Proceeds sale Prov. of Manitoba 4½s	1,090 00
Aug. 25	Proceeds Band Concert	33 86
	Proceeds Fulton Puppet Show	17 40
	Interest on Savings account	35 78
		$2,166 15

DISBURSEMENTS

Mar. 6	30 shares Pac. Gas and Elect. Pref.	$1,244 61
Aug. 5	Fulton Puppet Show	75 00
	Fitzwilliam Inn, entertainment Puppet Show	8 80
Aug. 11	Coll. Internal Revenue, admission tax	3 48
Aug 25	Heyward-Wakefield Band	125 00
	Dept. in C. C. Savings Bk 1/10 int. for year	30 71
	Interest on savings account	35 78
Dec. 31	Bal. on hand Cheshire Nat. Bank	642 77
		$2,166 15

DEPOSITS AND VALUE OF SECURITIES

Bal. in Cheshire National Bank	$642 77
Deposit in Cheshire Co. Savings Bank	1,496 60
2m. U. S. Savings Bonds Series G	2,000 00
1m. Canadian Nat. R. R. 4½s 1957	1,070 00
15 shares 1st Nat. Bank of Boston	750 00
13 shares Chemical Bank and Trust	520 00
75 shares Peerless Casualty Co., com.	1,050 00
30 shares Pac. Gas and Electric 6% Pref.	1,020 00
	$8,549 37

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS R. PARKER,

Treasurer Elliot Institute.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF TOWN LIBRARY

To Dec. 31, 1947

Jan. 2, 1947 balance on hand			$178 99
Library Sewing Circle for books			25 00
Library Sewing Circle use of hall			3 75
Alice Bridgeman for "Johns Shelf"			10 00
Goodspeeds Book Shop, book sold			10 00
Phillips Fund			20 10
Books and junk sold			8 18
Bartlett fund			38 27
Colby fund			3 87
Simonds fund			2 51
Received for books			6 15
Received from Esdaile trust			183 50
Town appropriation			1,050 00
From petty cash received and paid out by librarian:			
Sale of town histories	$20 00		
Old books sold	4 00		
Fines and dues	51 03		
		$75 03	
Paid out:			
Postage and box rent	$3 18		
Sundry supplies	13 40		
Labor	3 00		
Books	6 37		
Gaylord Bros., supplies	40 99		
		$66 94	
Balance turned over to treasurer			8 09
Total receipts			$1,548 41

DISBURSEMENTS

Personal Book Shop, books	$296 60
Personal Book Shop, Esdaile fund	80 88
J. B. Blodgett, janitor	191 00
A. C. Neal, librarian	183 33
Gladys Wilkins, librarian	7 50
R. H. Stephens Est, bal. due Mrs. Stephens	27 50
G. H. Tilden and Co., books	20 94
Moore, Cottrelle Co., magazines	50 69
Gaylord Bros., supplies	20 95
Sentinel Printing Co., printing	24 20
Bank service charges	6 67
N. H. Gas and Elect. Co., lights	45 86
Avon Book Co.	7 54
Winchendon Flower Shop, flowers for Mr. Stephens	6 00
Keene Book Shop	5 00
The Guide Post	1 00
Everett Whitlock, map	3 00
Vocational Guidance	5 47
C. T. Winter, cartage	4 00
Stephen Exel painting part of library building	216 64
L. Lilback, wood	68 00
Atkins Plumbing Co., repairing heater	42 00
P. H. Faulkner, state tax on Esdaile fund	10 93
H. B. Firmin, kindling	5 95
Hampshire Press, printing	15 00
F. R. Parker, postage	1 76
Dec. 31, 1947 balance Esdaile fund	102 51
balance general fund	97 49
	$1,548 41

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS R. PARKER,

Treasurer.

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

January 21, 1948

Board of Selectmen,
Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire.

Gentlemen;

Submitted herewith is the report of the annual audit of the accounts of the Town of Fitzwilliam covering the fiscal year ended December 31, 1947, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the town.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Trustees of Trust Funds, Plante Memorial Park Commission, Treasurer of the Elliot Institute, Library Treasurer and Village District.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Comparative Balance Sheets—Dec. 31, 1946-Dec. 31, 1947: (Exhibit A)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1946 and December 31, 1947, are presented in Exhibit A. As indicated therein the financial condition of the town changed from a Surplus of $701.27 at the beginning of the year to a Net Debt of $1,707.05 at the close of the year.

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit B)

The factors which affected the change in the financial condition of the town during the year were as follows:

Surplus—December 31, 1946	$701 27
Net debt—December 31, 1947	1,707 05
Change in Financial Condition	$2,408 32

	Decreases of Surplus	
Budget Deficit	$2,415 07	
	Increases of Surplus	
Cash in hands of Town Clerk	6 75	
Net Change		$2,408 32

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures—Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits C & D)

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1947, are presented in Exhibits C & D. As indicated by the budget summary, a net overdraft of appropriations of $3,068.04, less a net revenue surplus of $652.97, resulted in a net budget deficit of $2,415.07.

Summary of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit E)

A summary of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1947, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts in included in Exhibit E.

AUDIT PROCEDURE

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1947, is indicated in Exhibit F.

TAX ACCOUNTS

The tax warrants for the levies of 1947, 1946, 1945, and tax sale accounts for the levies of 1947 and previous years were examined. Summaries indicating the activity in the tax warrant and tax sale accounts for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1947, are presented in Exhibits G, H, I and J, respectively.

TOWN CLERK

The financial accounts and records of the Town Clerk were examined and audited. All funds received by the Town Clerk on account of the issuance of motor vehicle permits and dog licenses were properly accounted for through remittances to the Treasurer, fees retained or cash on hand.

TRUST FUNDS

Savings bank books and securities representing the principal and unexpended income of the trust funds were examined. A summary statement of trust fund principal, income and investments, as of December 31, 1947, will be found in Exhibit R.

TOWN OFFICER'S SURETY BONDS

The surety bonds of the town officers were examined. A list of the town officers who are required by law to be bonded, together with the accounts of the bonds and the surety companies, for the year 1947, will be found in Exhibit T.

SPECIAL FIRE ACCOUNT PAYROLL

The special forest fire payroll account was audited and a summary statement of this account appears in Exhibit S.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Current Deficit:

Reference to the balance sheet, Exhibit A, shows that the town ended the fiscal year, December 31, 1947, with a current deficit of $1,707.05. This represented the excess of current liabilities (accounts payable and unexpended balances of appropriations) over total assets (cash, accounts receivable, uncollected and unredeemed taxes), as follows:

Current Liabilities	$11,674 71
Total Assets	9,967 66
Current Deficit	$1,707 05

Provision should be made in the 1948 budget for this deficit.

Property Acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds:

A list of the properties which the town has acquired by Tax Collector's deeds is included in Exhibit K. The last assessed valuation of each piece of property is indicated.

In order that this property may be transferred back to private ownership and thereby restored to the tax rolls it is recommended that an article similar to the one suggested herewith be inserted in the town warrant and acted upon by the town meeting this year:

"To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to administer or dispose of any property which has been acquired by tax collector's deeds, either by private sale or by public auction."

Conclusion:

The accounts and records of all town officials were found in good condition and the accounting procedure conformed to the uniform system prescribed by this Division.

The provisions of Section 31, Chapter 211, of the Laws of 1939, require that this report or a summary of its essential features shall be published in the next annual town report.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Fitzwilliam for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,
HAROLD G. FOWLER,
Director,
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Herbert E. Hunt, Auditor
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

January 21, 1948

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts and records of the Town of Fitzwilliam for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1947 and found them to be in good order. In our opinion the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true

financial condition of the town, together with the results of operations for the period under review.

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD G. FOWLER,
Director,
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Herbert E. Hunt, Auditor
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Before the publication of the annual Town Report we issued in January our own list of books received during 1947, including a statistical sheet to give our readers an idea of the fluctuations in book loans. In library records such information is kept in graphic form, which tells us in advance when there may be an increase or a decrease in circulation; from these graphs it is also possible to judge the whys and wherefores of a slack or a busy period.

Sometime during the year the Dewey Decimal System will be installed, complete with shelf list and cross-indexed card file. It is difficult at this time to set any date when the system might be put into operation, since the cataloguing of a book requires several steps and the books are being replaced on different shelves to follow a numerical and subject sequence suitable to the system.

We wish to thank Mrs. Carleton E. Boyce for carrying books to and from the Depot readers and Mr. Arthur J. Plante for the use of his store as an outlet where books may be left for Mrs. Boyce to pick up.

Total circulation for 1947 was 4,344 books loaned. Full statistics may be seen in our booklist report of January last.

ANDREW C. NEAL,

January 2, 1948.

REPORT OF FITZWILLIAM DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

Examiner: Dr. George S. Emerson.

Total number of children examined	108
Diseased tonsils	24
Adenoids	24
Defective vision	7
Defective teeth	97
Nervous condition	1
Anaemia	1
10% underweight	8

Condition Corrected:

Tonsils and Adenoids	13
Vision	6
Dental caries	32
Under treatment	12
Underweight	8

Children excluded from school:

Impetigo, 2
Chicken pox, 1
Pediculosis, 8

Inasmuch as it has been difficult to secure dates for Tonsil and Adenoid Clinics, several parents have had their children entered as private patients. There are several more that require attention. Too, it is impossible to have a School Dental Clinic, as in former years, therefore, I urge all parents to take their children to their family dentist regularly. Sound teeth will help to build a healthy body.

HOME VISITS

Nursing care	461
Surgical	21

Deliveries	15
Postpartum	57
New born	63
Antepartum	29
Pre school	126
School children	145

Again, I wish to express my gratitude to the several teachers and parents, for their understanding and cooperation, and to the many others who have taken a friendly interest in the work of the District Nursing Association.

Respectfully submitted,
MARGUERITE E. DAVIS, R. N.

TREASURER'S REPORT

FITZWILLIAM DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION
Jan. 1, 1947 to Jan. 1, 1948

RECEIPTS

Received from town	$1,200 00	
Received from Marguerite E. Davis, R. N., District Nurse Services	148 75	
June, School District	100 00	
Oct. 3 Mrs. Carleton T. Smith, Square Dance Group	300 00	
Received from Miss Davis, Withholding tax	163 20	
		$1,911 95
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1947		441 62
		$2,353 57

DISBURSEMENTS

Marguerite E. Davis, R. N., services, Jan. 1, 1947-Jan. 1, 1948	$1,500 00
Telephone bill	32 48
Marguerite E. Davis, use of car and gasoline	150 00

Bank charges on checking account	4 11	
Collector of Internal Revenue, Portsmouth	163 20	
		1,849 79
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1948		$503 78
In Winchendon Savings Bank, Trust Fund Nancy Cox Estate, with accrued interest		$462 49

Respectfully submitted,

ELLA MAY EMERSON,
Treasurer.

January 7, 1948.

Having examined the above report of the treasurer of the Fitzwilliam District Nursing Association, I find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED R. BOYCE,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Fitzwilliam:

I herein submit my fifth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

The general demand for better educational opportunities for the youth in our public schools is indeed a serious problem at the present time. In order to meet the various needs of boys and girls and to prepare most of them to enter high school the modern elementary school has many new responsibilities. The development of the basic skills and abilities in reading, writing, and arithmetic are as essential as ever. More effective learning in the social studies with increased emphasis on democratic living is needed to develop better citizenship both within and outside school. An adequate school program should also provide the opportunities for directed experiences in general science, manual arts, domestic arts, music, the fine arts, health, and wider social contacts. The facilities for these objectives will be limited in many schools during the present period of shortages and high costs.

The maintenance of well qualified teachers in the public village and rural schools is almost an impossibility unless nearby resident teachers are available. At the present time 70,000 teaching jobs are vacant in the United States. More than 350,000 teachers have left our public schools since 1941. Over 2,000,000 school-age children are not in school and millions of those in school are receiving inferior education due to the fact that 110,000 teachers, or one out of every eight, are serving on sub-standard permits. This problem is enhanced by increased enrollments in our schools and fewer students preparing to teach.

I believe that the general morale of the schools would be greatly improved if parents exerted a stronger influence on their children. Cooperative attitudes of obedience and respect for authority should start in the home. The mutual

help of parents and teachers is needed by all youth at the present time.

The Fitzwilliam School District is maintaining a constructive program for the welfare of its youth. Many major improvements to meet the common needs of children in the Fitzwilliam Schools are mentioned in the report of a committee authorized at the last annual school district meeting. The recommendation of this committee merits careful consideration as a long range program.

Recent changes to meet the immediate needs follow:

1. Improvements at the Columbian School include an adequate supply of running water, new movable furniture, and a fire escape for the use of the children on the second floor.

2. A well organized and equipped school lunch program that provides the opportunity for all pupils to obtain a well balanced meal at low cost. The success of this project is due in part to the effective work of interested citizens, particularly to those who prepare, deliver and serve these meals at the schools.

3. Improved instruction resulting from further revision of textbooks, more visual aids, the best classroom teachers available, and the employment of a music supervisor.

4. Educational films shown in the schools on a regular schedule by Mr. John B. Russell who has contributed his services and furnished a sound projector for this purpose.

5. The classification of pupils with one or two grades per teacher has resulted in more attention to the individual pupil.

ORGANIZATION AND CLASSIFICATION
COLUMBIAN SCHOOL

Grade	Promotions June, 1947	Enrolments September, 1947
1	20	22
2	15	21
VILLAGE SCHOOL		
3	14	15
4	18	14

GRAMMAR SCHOOL

5	9	20
6	7	10
7	10	11
8	6	9
Totals	99	122

Due to additional enrollments in the lower grades Mrs. Mertie Hornig of Keene, N. H. was employed at the beginning of the school year to teach the pupils in the second grade at the Columbian School. Mr. Howard Park became the new music supervisor at this time. Mrs. Evelyn Damon, Mrs. Marion Sabin, and Mr. Russell Raymond have been retained as teachers in the intermediate and upper grades respectively.

The efficiency of the present program is handicapped by overcrowded conditions at the Junior High building. The apparent increase of enrollment in grades three and four indicates a need for an additional teacher at the village school within the next two years. When these pupils now in the lower grades reach grades five and six additional housing space will be necessary.

HONOR ROLL

The following pupils have been neither absent nor tardy for the entire school year 1946-1947. The numbers in parenthesis indicate the years of perfect attendance

Harold N. Riatto
Rosemary Yon (4)
Shirley Dunton (2)
Jessie Baldwins (3)
Ralph S. White
Charlotte Firmin
Ann White

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES, JUNE 1947

Stephen Blair
Elizabeth Steinka
Marjorie Meatty
Charlotte Firmin
Stanford Dunton
Edward Yon

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR, 1946-1947

Total length of school year in weeks	37
Number of different pupils registered	113
Number of half days schools were in session	342
Average membership	105.41
Average attendance	98.93
Percent of attendance	93.85
Average number of tardinesses per pupil	.56
Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy	7
Number of pupils transported by district	71
Number of visits by the superintendent	76
Number of visits by members of school board	19
Number of visits by the school nurse	42
Number of visits by the parents and citizens	68

CONCLUSION

I wish to thank the Teachers, Members of the School Board and other school employees for their services to the schools. The cooperation of the parents and citizens is also greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN H. FRYE,
Superintendent of Schools.

Marlborough, N. H.
January 26, 1948.

REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herein submit my first report as Music Supervisor in the Fitzwilliam schools.

We have in our local schools a basic vocal music series known effectively as "The Singing School" published by C. C. Birchard Co. of Boston. The title of the series expresses the fundamental aim—that of making each classroom a "singing school."

The vocal music course blends itself into many phases of the child's life in all the richness that music may provide. Whether it be in the classroom, on the playground, in community relationships, or in the home, there is a musical experience with the vividness that it takes to arouse pupil interest.

The music program, aside from giving the pupils countless songs, attempts to develop the feeling for beautiful music and lyric; a strong clear picture of democracy; music fundamentals; music reading; music appreciation; the study of Schubert, Mozart, Haydn, Beethoven, Stephen Foster as well as the music writers of today; and last, creative activity both in art and lyric writing as well as the creation of little melodies.

In Grades One and Two a great deal is being done to develop the desire to listen to fine music and appreciate it. Music reading has already been started in the Second Grade with special emphasis on clear speech while singing. The study of music fundamentals has made great progress in grades Three and Four. To the program has been added tonal and verbal diction for the development of better musical hearing.

To assure each boy and girl in the system an exact sense of rhythm, skipping and folk singing games are taught. A well-balanced rhythm band is periodically in action with student conductors in Grades One and Two. Folk dancing

replaces the simple singing games in the Junior High classes using both records and their vocal texts.

The operetta "Christmas And The Four Freedoms" which was produced just before the holiday season provided an outlet for a great deal of self-expression, and too, reinstated musically the true meaning of Christmas with a patriotic angle.

In conclusion, let me thank the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education and the Teachers for their efforts in carrying out the music program.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD W. PARK,

Music Supervisor.

Keene, N. H.
January 30, 1948.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1948-1949

School District of Fitzwilliam

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Support of Schools	Elementary	
Teachers' salaries	$13,200 00	
Text books	600 00	
Scholars' supplies	700 00	
Flags and appurtenances	15 00	
Other expenses of instruction	100 00	
Janitor services	1,200 00	
Fuel	700 00	
Water, light, janitor's supplies	300 00	
Minor repairs and expenses	1,000 00	
Health supervision (medical inspection)	250 00	
Transportation of pupils	4,500 00	
Other special activities	500 00	
		$23,065 00

Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	$303 00	
Truant officer and school census	35 00	
Tuition in high schools and academies (estimated)	3,700 00	
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by union)	320 00	
Per capita tax (report of state treasurer)	278 00	
*Other obligations imposed by law or established by the district	725 00	
		5,361 00
Total amount to meet school board's budget		$28,426 00

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State aid (December 1948 allotment)	$5,150 00	
Dog tax (estimated)	150 00	
Income from trust funds (estimated)	50 00	
Deduct total estimated income not raised by taxation		5,350 00
Assessment required to balance school board's budget		$23,076 00
Special Appropriations Proposed (Articles in Warrant):		
For deficit appropriation (1947-1948)	$300 00	
For new eqnipment	700 00	
For refrigerator for lunch program and domestic arts	225 00	
		1,225 00
Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations		$24,301 00
* Teachers' retirement assessment	$425 00	
Administration	150 00	
Insurance	150 00	
Total	$725 00	

HELMI E. TOMMILA,
GEORGE S. EMERSON,
OLIVE W. RUSSELL,
School Board.

Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire
January 6, 1948.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1947

Cash on hand June 30, 1946		$2,704 46
Received from selectmen:		
Appropriations for current year	$13,762 15	
Dog tax	211 68	
Income from trust funds	50 31	
Received from state treasurer, state aid	2,955 07	
Received from all other sources	85 42	
		17,064 63
Total amount available for fiscal year		$19,769 09
Less school board orders paid		18,211 02
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1947		$1,558 07

FRANCES F. CHASE,
District Treasurer.

June 30, 1947.

AUDITOR S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Fitzwilliam, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947 and find them correct in all respects.

STATE TAX COMMISSION,
NORMAN P. SCHAUER,
ALAN R. MATTHEWS,
Auditors.

June 30, 1947.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1946:			
		Balance, June 30, 1946	$2,704 46
July	19	Dividend on insurance policy	12 50
Aug.	13	Release on No. 10 schoolhouse	1 00
Sept.	16	Tuition, Julia W. Blair	10 00
Oct.	14	Local taxation	1,000 00
Oct.	29	Refund, American Education Press	13 05
Nov.	18	Town of Fitzwilliam	1,500 00
Nov.	30	Interest, Armo W. Streeter Fund	50 31
Dec.	2	Local taxation	1,000 00
Dec.	16	Local taxation	1,000 00
1947:			
Jan.	9	State treasurer, equalization tax	2,955 07
Feb.	28	Local taxation	1,000 00
March	1	Refund, milk fund	20 06
March	15	Local taxation	1,000 00
March	31	Local taxation	1,000 00
April	21	Local taxation	1,000 00
May	21	Local taxation	1,000 00
June	9	Refund, lunch equipment	23 81
June	16	Local taxation	1,000 00
June	21	Local taxation	3,262 15
June	21	Dog taxes	211 68
June	24	Sale of sewing machine	5 00
Total receipts during year			$19,769 09

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE FITZWILLIAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1946 and Ending June 30, 1947

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

JOHN H. FRYE,
Superintendent.

HELMI E. TOMMILA,
GEORGE S. EMERSON,
OLIVE W. RUSSELL,
School Board.

June 30, 1947.

RECEIPTS

Federal aid:		
National school lunch		$43 87
State aid:		
Equalization and general aid		2,955 07
Local taxation:		
Support of schools, tuition, salaries, debt and interest and other statutory obligations		13,462 15
Special appropriations		300 00
From sources other than taxation:		
Dog licenses	$211 68	
Secondary school tuition (rebate)	10 00	
Income from local trust funds	50 31	
Sale of property	5 00	

Other receipts	26 55	
		303 54
Total receipts from all sources		$17,064 63
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1946		2,704 46
Grand total		$19,769 09

PAYMENTS

Salaries of district officers	$338 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	231 00	
Tax for state wide supervision	252 00	
Expenses of administration	120 53	
Principals' and teachers' salaries	6,937 25	
Text books	245 90	
Scholars' supplies	232 88	
Other expenses of instruction	151 76	
Janitors' salaries	922 50	
Fuel	494 43	
Water, light, janitors' supplies	152 45	
Repairs and replacements	490 19	
Health supervision	143 10	
Transportation	3,524 55	
Tuition	2,011 16	
Other activities	246 25	
Insurance	120 98	
Addition to buildings	480 00	
New equipment	1,116 09	
Total payments for all purposes		$18,211 02
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1947		1,558 07
Grand total		$19,769 09

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS	
Cash on hand	$1,558 07
Accounts due to district	0 00
Grand total	$1,558 07
LIABILITIES	
Total liabilities	$0 00
Net surplus	1,558 07
Grand total	$1,558 07

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION
Concord, New Hampshire
August 5, 1947

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts and records of the Fitzwilliam School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1947, and found them to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

Submitted herewith is the report in the form of Schedules which, to the best of our knowledge and belief, reflect the financial condition of the Fitzwilliam School District as of June 30, 1947, and the results of the financial transactions of the District during the period under review.

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD G. FOWLER,
Director.
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission.
ALAN R. MATTHEWS,
Auditor.
NORMAN P. SCHAUER,
Accountant.

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

From July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947

DETAIL NO. 1

Salaries of District Officers

George S. Emerson, school board	$50 00
Fannie B. Spicer, school board and secretary	150 00
Helmi E. Tommila, school board	50 00
Frances F. Chase, treas.	50 00
Bessie B. Byam, clerk	3 00
	$303 00

DETAIL NO. 2

Superintendent's Excess Salary

Laura J. Talbot, treas. and secty. Supervisory Union No. 38	$231 00

DETAIL NO. 3

Truant Officer and School Census

Fred R. Boyce	$35 00

DETAIL NO. 4

Expense Of Administration

Division of Municipal Accounting, auditing	$14 47
Chase's Book Store, vouchers	17 10
Laura J. Talbot, secty. and treas. Sup. Union No. 38	10 50
Henry Bemis, phone	23
Winfield Chaplin, copy of deed	1 25
John H. Frye, phone, postage, office supplies and expenses	33 16
Helmi E. Tommila, phone and postage	4 30
Fannie B. Spicer, phone and postage	8 61
The Courier Press, envelopes	4 75
Chase's Book Store, treas. book and supplies	7 10

Frances F. Chase, Treas., bond and postage	14 06
Philip Faulkner, legal service	5 00
	$120 53

DETAIL NO. 5

Teachers' Salaries

Teachers' salaries	$6,937 25

DETAIL NO. 6

Textbooks

Publishers	$245 90

DETAIL NO. 7

Scholars Supplies

Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies	$164 09
J. L. Hammett & Co., supplies	3 57
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., supplies	85
Godin Stores, supplies	3 39
Arthur J. Plante, supplies	4 27
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	14 16
Rollin Angier, lumber	20 00
E. Russell Raymond, supplies	11 92
Marion Sabin, supplies	48
Henry Bemis, supplies	6 05
Row Peterson Co., supplies	1 50
R. W. Stone, lumber	1 10
John H. Frye, supplies	1 50
	$232 88

DETAIL NO. 8

Flags and Appurtenances

J. L. Hammett Co., flags	$11 55

DETAIL NO. 9

Other Expenses Of Instruction

Row Peterson Co., supplies	$27 00
World Book Co., tests	10 61
M. N. Perkins Co., diplomas	4 80
Sentinel Printing Co., programs	11 75
F. E. Compton & Co., encyclopedias	86 05
	$140 21

DETAIL NO. 10
Janitors' Salaries

Henry Bemis	$370 00
Warren J. MacDonald	256 50
Ella Carlson	296 00
	$922 50

DETAIL NO. 11
Fuel

Julius Firmin, sawing wood	$42 00
Fred Baldwin, hauling wood	45 00
Troy & Fitzwilliam Coal Co.	237 43
Tommila Bros., wood	165 00
Edward Grant, kindling	5 00
	$494 43

DETAIL NO. 12
Water, Light And Janitors Supplies

N. H. Gas & Electric Co.	$78 08
Edward E. Babb & Co.	36 00
Arthur J. Plante, supplies	1 93
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	26 05
Evelyn Damon, supplies	2 14
Warren Refining & Chemical Co., liquid soap	8 25
	$152 45

DETAIL NO. 13
Minor Repairs And Expenses

Steven Exel, labor	$11 50
Roscoe Bemis, cleaning	32 30
Esther Holman, cleaning	9 25
Keene Chimney Cleaning Co.	25 00
R. W. Stone, lumber	7 13
W. E. Emerson, labor on well	24 25
George E. Fletcher, repairs on clock	4 00
Fred A. Baldwin, hauling gravel	73 75
Railway Express Agency, water jugs	2 32
Verne Decatur, elec. repairs	2 63
Henry Bemis	80

L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	8 34
Ferdinand Schoerner, grates and labor	46 09
Kenney Bros. Inc., desk tops	48 00
Beedle Piano Co., repairs on radio	4 00
John H. Frye, supplies	1 50
Daniel Bemis, labor and supplies	170 01
E. Russell Raymond, supplies	3 00
Cascade Paper Co., supplies	6 47
Singer Sewing Machine Co., repairs	9 85
	$490 19

DETAIL NO. 14

Health Supervision

Arthur J. Plante, supplies	$3 10
District Nursing Assoc.	100 00
Dr. George Emerson	40 00
	$143 10

DETAIL NO. 15

Transportation Of Pupils

Blodgett Auto Service	$25 80
Emile J. Plante, Sr.	855 00
Emile J. Plante, Jr.	1,798 50
Henry Whipple	845 25
	$3,524 55

DETAIL NO. 16-17

Payment Of Tuition

Sanborn Seminary	$115 00
Union School District	1,821 16
Troy School District	75 00
	$2,011 16

DETAIL NO. 18

Other Special Activities

Philip Morris Co., athletic equip.	$31 80
Mrs. G. H. Fairbanks, rental of costume	2 50
The Holbrook Co., supplies	3 70
E. Russell Raymond, supplies	4 49

Henry Bemis,. supplies	1 30
L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	10 52
Irwin Gordon, supplies	2 01
Chesterfield School District, movie rental	1 50
	$57 82

DETAIL NO. 19

Tax For State-Wide Supervision

State Treas. Gordon F. Kimball, tax per capita	$252 00

DETAIL NO. 20

Insurance And Other Fixed Charges

Palmer Insurance Agency	$34 98
Fred R. Boyce	30 00
Leroy Blake	56 00
	$120 98

DETAIL NO. 22

Addition to Old Buildings

W. H. Cranton Insulating Co.	$480 00

DETAIL NO. 23

New Equipment

Edward E. Babb Co., desks and chairs	$982 68
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	4 79
Chase's Book Store, staples	1 25
N. J. Nystrom Co., supplies	7 00
Wm. J. Prario, supplies	2 00
B & B Electric Appliance Co., supplies	24 75
S. S. Kresge Co., supplies	15 00
Spencer Hardware Co., supplies	8 60
E. Russell Raymond, supplies	7 50
John H. Frye, supplies	1 28
Helmi E. Tommila, supplies	4 96
Fannie B. Spicer, supplies	4 34
Evelyn Damon, supplies	1 73
Marlboro School District, reimbursement on freight	18 04
Lepisto's Garage, moving lockers	5 00
Mildred Smith, supplies	4 17
Marlboro School District, share adding machine	23 00
	$1,116 09

DETAIL NO. 27

Special Appropriations

School Lunch

L. D. Barnes & Son, supplies	$113 12
W. J. Prario, supplies	1 75
The Holbrook Co., supplies	48 39
Evelyn Damon, supplies	9 00
Henry Bemis, supplies	9 75
Emile J. Plante, Jr., supplies	4 32
Arthur J. Plante, supplies	2 10
	$188 43
Total	$18,211 02

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Fitzwilliam, in the County of Cheshire, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said Fitzwilliam on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1. To bring in your votes for the election of Delegates-at-Large; Alternate Delegates-at-Large; District Delegates; Alternate District Delegates, to the national conventions of the Republican and Democratic parties to be held for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States.

Art. 2. To elect a delegate to the State Constitutional Convention.

Polls will be open not later than 10 o'clock a. m. and close not earlier than 6 o'clock p. m.

Art. 3. To hear and act upon reports of agents, auditors, committees and officers heretofore chosen.

Art. 4. To allow accounts against the town.

Art. 5. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to appoint a highway agent for the ensuing year, or take any action thereon.

Art. 6. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year; to choose one trustee to have charge of the trust funds.

Art. 7. To elect trustees for the town library or take any action thereon.

Art. 8. To elect one selectman for three years.

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,585 for town charges.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,104 for street lighting.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000 for oiling town roads.

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $13,000 for town maintenance.

Art. 14. To see if the town will accept state aid for T.R.A. construction and appropriate the sum of $747.07 for this purpose, the state to give $2,988.27.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $3 500 for the purchase of a new truck for the highway department, and authorize the selectmen to trade in the present truck.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,707.05 to make up the deficit in 1947.

Art. 17. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to administer or dispose of any property which has been acquired by tax collector's deeds, either by private sale or public auction.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,400 to help maintain a district nurse for the ensuing year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Fitzwilliam District Nursing Association, or take any action thereon.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $800 for the general care of the town cemeteries.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $800 for the care and maintenance of the Fitzwilliam Town Library.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $250 for the purchase of books for the Fitzwilliam Town Library.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $260 for the use of the Fitzwilliam Village Precinct, for the care of the common and sidewalks.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100 for the general care and maintenance of the Plante Memorial Park, the same to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $105 (1-100th of one percent of the assessed valuation), for the Monadnock Region Association of Southern New Hampshire for the issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town, in cooperation with the other thirty-seven towns in the Monadnock Region.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 to be used for the observance of Memorial Day, the same to be expended under the direction of the patriotic bodies.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $800 to complete the pipe line and hydrant from the town hall reservoir to the Winchendon Road.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to install a fire alarm system, in general along the lines recommended in the recent Report on Fire Protection in the Town of Fitzwilliam prepared by the Town Planning Association, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $800 therefor, to be expended by a committee consisting of the selectmen and fire wards of the town ex-officio.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit of town accounts made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and raise and appropriate the sum of $65 to cover the expense of such audit.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150 for spraying the trees on the common, Plante Memorial Park, cemeteries and streets.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to have two street lights installed near the Blodgett Auto Service station on Route 12, and raise and appropriate the sum of $32 to pay for one year's service.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to have four street lights installed on Webb Hill Road, and raise and appropriate the sum of $64 to pay for one year's service.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to have one street light installed at the end of the street in front of the residences of Aili Haapala and Enoch Brandt, and appropriate the sum of $16 to pay for one year's service.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to accept two bequests made in the will of Charles L. Haskell, each in the sum of $500; the income of one to be used for the improvement of the grounds of the town hall, and the other for the improvement of the grounds of the library.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to have the Honor Roll removed from its present location to a suitable position inside of the town hall, the expense of the work to be charged to the town hall appropriation.

Art. 35. To see if the town will accept an offer of the Fitzwilliam Garden Club to pay for straightening and repairing the Revolutionary gravestones in the town cemetery, the work to be done under the joint direction of the Cemetery Commission and the Garden Club, as funds are made available by the latter.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell to Stillman P. Stone the old gravel pit on the highway leading from the Winchendon Road to Stone's mill, deeded to the town by Anson G. Beebe on May 8, 1901, and give a deed therefor.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to redecorate the interior of the lower town hall.

FRED R. BOYCE,
WALTER M. STONE,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Selectmen of Fitzwilliam.

A true copy of the warrant—Attest:

FRED R. BOYCE,
WALTER M. STONE,
HOWARD M. WEST,
Selectmen of Fitzwilliam.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(SCHOOL WARRANT)

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Fitzwilliam qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the sixteenth day of March, 1948, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) as a deficit appropriation for the school year ending June 30, 1948.

10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700.00) for new equipment.

11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225.00) for an electric refrigerator for use in the School Lunch and Domestic Arts programs.

12. To see if the district will vote to petition the State Tax Commission for an audit of accounts by the Municipal Accounting Division and raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) for this purpose.

To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Fitzwilliam this fourth day of February, 1948.

HELMI E. TOMMILA,
GEORGE S. EMERSON,
OLIVE W. RUSSELL,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HELMI E. TOMMILA,
GEORGE S. EMERSON,
OLIVE W. RUSSELL,
School Board.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOLS

This committee, having been given only the authority to study the plan of consolidation and make recommendations, unanimously agree that consolidation is advisable for the following practical reasons:

1. The district now maintains three separate buildings, three janitors who in turn must keep seven fires, with the possibility of nine fires if the over-crowded conditions make it necessary to open the upper room of the village school. This means supplying various types of fuel for each building, whereas in one building, the proper central heating system would mean one fire, one janitor and one type of fuel.

2. Transportation now necessitates bus routes repeating themselves, and pupils waiting at separate buildings in order to be distributed to their respective grades. One building would mean one point of pick up, and one destination.

3. The two lower schools still maintain primitive toilet systems, but to change these would necessitate installing central heating systems in each building. as any modern plumbing would of course freeze in winter.

4. Over a three year period, several major repairs would be necessary:

a. New roofing on the Village school.

b. Proper plumbing in both the Village and Columbian schools,

c. New and adequiate lighting in the Junior High school.

d. Changing of the heating system in the J.H.S.

Note: As the system now stands, the smaller classroom, which gets the sun the greater part of the

day, is directly over the furnace, making it at times unbearably hot. Even with an attempt to distribute the heat evenly, it is necessary to run a second furnace in the larger classroom, this furnace being right next to the teacher's desk, and some front row pupils. As a result these people are too warm, while those in the back of the room are not warm enough. A third fire has to be kept downstairs for Domestic Science classes, and the School Lunch program.

5. It would be impractical over a period of years to attempt to carry on the school lunch program of a complete meal, while maintaining three buildings. Food must be transported from the central kitchen at the Junior High, and this year it is only through the kindness of interested citizens that we are able to serve hot lunches in each school.

6. In regard to Musical Education, it is now necessary to keep three pianos tuned, and to transport borrowed record players. Any stage production such as an operetta or graduation exercises, involves transportation for rehearsals of all pupils to and from a central building, as well as inconvenience to the teachers.

7. Under the existing system it is necessary for all three locations to be plowed out after each storm—one building would mean only one driveway. Also, following each storm it is now necessary to shovel two paths each to the inadequate toilets of the lower schools.

8. The water supply in the schools is so inadequate that it prevents meeting even minimum standards of health and sanitation in a well regulated school program.

9. Due to greatly overcrowded conditions, and the anticipation of additional pupil load, it will be necessary to either hire another teacher and open the upper room of the Village School, or go to the expense of making a permanent classroom out of the small room at the Junior High.

10. The present construction of the Junior High School provides inadequate exits from the basement classroom.

The Committee unanimously agrees that consolidation, providing one building with a room for auditorium and gymnasium purposes, is advisable for the following EDUCATIONAL reasons:

1. Physical Education in, as well as out of doors for all.

2. Recreation in, as well as out of doors for all.

3. Visual education. As schools now stand, pupils must sit two in a chair, and have no means of blacking out the windows when educational films are shown. Also, the first and second grades are deprived this program due to the necessity of transporting heavy equipment.

4. Musical Education—Space and equipment for educational and dramatic programs, as well as for graduation.

5. Vocational Education—Space and equipment for children to work with their hands.

6. Health—Improper plumbing, water supply, heat and lighting hinder a good educational program.

7. School Lunch—Children have a hot, well balanced meal, prepared under sanitary conditions, which teaches them good health practices, the application of good manners, and provides social contact. School lunch program has become a regular part of the school days work in places where it can be maintained.

8. Administrative—More efficient administration, and supervision of scholastic and physical program.

The committee met with Mr. Paul Farnum, Chief of the Division of Administrative Services of the State Board of Education to discuss consolidation, and the possibilities of adding on to the Junior High School, or building a whole new unit. The committee also went to Concord, and under the guidance of Dr. Gertrude Lewis, Director of Elementary School Services in the state, visited various schools. One building, although larger than needed in Fitzwilliam, offered an ideal educational program. Another school was a smaller and more modern one story construction, with an auditorium-gymnasium.

The many advantages of a school lunch program in one building was particularly noticeable here. The committee went on to Candia, Kingston and Hampstead, where each school offered a type of construction or program that would be helpful in planning for consolidation.

The Committee unanimously recommends:

1. That all pupils should be housed in one building with equal educational opportunities.

2. That the School District provide a committee to obtain plans for this recommendation.

Signed:

HELMI E. TOMMILA,
GEORGE S. EMERSON,
OLIVE W. RUSSELL,
A. WALDO BYAM,
CLARENCE M. DAMON,
EDWARD W. HIND,
BARBARA LUOPA,

Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire.
January 15, 1947

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
March 11, 1947

Officers elected: Town Clerk, Frances F. Chase; Selectman for three years, Howard M. West; Town Treasurer, Sturgis Coffin; Library Trustees, Edith M. West and Rodman Schaff; Trustee of Trust Funds, Louis M. Webb; Road Agent, Malcolm D. Campbell; Cemetery Commissioners, for 1 year, Howard C. Holman, for 2 years, Louis M. Webb; for three years, George A. Baldwin; Sexton and Superintendent of Cemeteries, George A. Baldwin; Town Hall Agent, Bertrand F. Chase; Firewards, Clarence M. Damon, Arthur J. Plante, James H. Hind; Plante Memorial Commissioners, Philip J. Yon, Charles H. Sturtevant, Arthur J. Plante; Constable and Prosecuting Agent, Herbert W. Popple.

Meeting called to order 9:10 by the Moderator, Sturgis Coffin.

Art. 1. Polls were opened at 9:25 a. m. for the purpose of electing the Town Officers under the non-partisan ballot system, and it was voted to keep them open until 6 p. m. Voting continued throughout the day.

Voted to defer Action upon Article 2 until Article 27 had been taken up.

Art. 3. No accounts against the Town.

Art. 4. Voted to raise $9,000 for Town charges, divided as follows:

Town officers' salaries	$1,350 00
Town officers' expenses	925 00
Election and registration	100 00
Insurance	250 00
Town hall	600 00
Police department	300 00
Fire department	2,600 00

Town dump	225 00
Old age assistance	1,500 00
Town poor	1,000 00
Damages and legal	100 00
Interest on temporary loans	50 00

Art. 5. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 6. Voted to raise $1,088 for lighting the streets.

Art. 7. Voted to raise $3,000 for oiling Town roads.

Art. 8. Voted to raise $10,000 for highways and bridges and under this article the following resolution as an amendment was presented by Howard Holman and same was adopted: Resolved that $1,000 be set aside under Article 8, to be used exclusively for graveling Town Roads.

Art. 9. Voted to raise $744.06 for T.R.A. roads, the State to give $2,976 23.

Art. 10. Voted to raise $1,200 to help maintain a District Nurse.

Art. 11. Voted to raise $800 for general care of Fitzwilliam cemeteries.

Art. 12. Voted to raise $750 for maintenance of Library.

Art. 13. Voted to raise $300 for purchase of Library books.

Art. 14. Voted to raise $250 for use of Village Precinct.

Art. 15. Voted to raise $100 for care of Plante Memorial.

Art. 16. Voted to raise $91 the Town's proportionate share of expense of Monadnock Region Association's advertising campaign.

Art. 17. Voted to raise $150 for Memorial Day observance.

Art. 18. It was voted to indefinitely postpone the resolution presented by Walter M. Stone: Resolved: That the Town appropriate the sum of $7,000 for the purchase of a re-

built power grader, snow-plow and wing, and the cost of housing the same, with the understanding that the sum of $1,000 raised for the purpose last year is to be used with the sum hereby appropriated, and that the sum of $3,500 is to be raised by taxation in 1947, and that the Selectmen be authorized to borrow the sum of $3,500 for 12 months to make up the balance of the purchase price.

Art. 19. Voted to have audit of Town accounts made by Division of Municipal Accounting under the direction of the State Tax Commission and to apppropriate the sum of $65 for this purpose.

Art. 20. Voted to rescind action of last previous town meeting in adopting the non-partisan ballot system for the election of Town Officers.

Art. 21. Voted to accept the Trust Fund under the Ada R. Esdaile will.

Art. 22. Voted to raise $300 for spraying and care of shade trees on the common, Depot Park, cemeteries and streets.

Art. 23. Voted to defer action on this Article until Article 27 had been considered.

Art. 24. Under this article the following resolution was presented by Howard M. West: Resolved: That the Town raise and appropriate or borrow, a sum not to exceed $3,500 for the construction of the water-hole back of the library building and the pipe line and hydrant as recommended in the report of the committee on water supply for fire protection. It was voted to adopt this resolution. Under the same article another resolution as follows was presented by Howard M. West: Resolved: That the sum of $2,000, plus accumulated interest, raised as a capital reserve fund for the benefit of the Town Hall in 1945, be used to help defray the cost of construction of the water hole, pipe line and hydrant, for fire protection and thereby reduce the amount to be raised by taxation for the construction of the water hole authorized by the previous resolution. Upon poll of house the vote for passage of the above was Yes 72, No 3.

Art. 23. Under this article the following resolution was presented and it was voted to adopt same: Resolved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $400 to repair the toilets in the Town Hall.

Art. 25. Voted to indefinitely postpone this article.

Art. 26. Voted to pass the article as read. (Plante Memorial).

Art. 27. Voted to adopt this article as read. (Additional street light).

Art. 28. Under this article the following business was taken up: Resolution presented by Francis R. Parker and passed by a rising vote: Resolved: That beginning with General James Reed in the year 1774, the moderators of the Town of Fitzwilliam have been men who not only were held in the highest esteem by their fellow citizens, but were men who have uniformally conducted the town meetings in a manner which has called forth the admiration of all.

John S. Blair, who for more than twenty-five years has served this town as moderator, has well upheld the high standard set by his predecessors.

Having refused to be a candidate for the office he has held so long, the voters of Fitzwilliam here assembled this 11th day of March, 1947, wish to sincerely thank Mr. Blair for his faithful and efficient service throughout the years.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the records of the town and a like copy sent to Mr. Blair.

Resolution of Silas W. White and passed: Resolved: That the Highway Department plow snow from private driveways on receipt of $5 per season from owners or lessors of said private driveways.

Voted to adjourn Warrant session of this meeting at 2:10 p. m. the voting for the town officers continuing until 6 p. m.

A true copy of record,

FRANCES F. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS

At the request of the selectmen, there is submitted herewith a transcript of the births, marriages and deaths recorded in the Office of the Town Clerk for the year ending December 31, 1947.

Births Registered in the Town of Fitzwilliam, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1947

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition. Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
1946									
Dec. 31	Raymond Albert	M	L		Raymond E. Popple	Eliza A. Chase	Fireman	Rindge	Fitzwilliam
1947									
Mar. 1	Sharolyn Ann	F	L	3	Roger C. Goodnow	Ethel A. Campbell	Weaver	Troy	Aldenville, Va.
" 10	Lolie Jane	F	L	1	Galen E. Fisher	Jennie L. Pierce	Leather wkr.	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam
" 25	Robert Walter	M	L	2	Edwin O. Mattson	Eliza'h M. Whitcomb	Mechanic	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam
" 26	Joyce Ann	F	L		John R. Damon	Alice M. Chapman	Mill worker	Fitzwilliam	Winchendon, Ms.
Apr. 5	Gilbert Lawrence	M	L	5	Ernest G. Richards	Virginia C. LaBounty	Heel turner	Indian Orchard, Ms.	Gilsum
May 1	Linda Jean	F	L	1	Richard B. Paul	Margaret J. Yates	Camera shop prop.	Boston, Mass.	Oldham, Eng.
June 4	Donald Albert	M	L	1	Niilo A. Matson	Eleanor Whitcomb	Machinist	Virginia, Minn.	Fitzwilliam
" 7	Donna Marie	F	L		Wallace F. Angier	Emeline L. Floria	Mill worker	Boston, Mass.	Winchendon, Mass.
" 8	Jeanne Ann	F	L			Leone D. Walker			Madison, Wis.
July 21	Alvin Cass	M	L	1	Julius H. Firmin	Gertrude E. Cass	Tractor work	Fitzwilliam	Peterborough
" 27	Joyce Etta	F	L	1	Geo. F. Dunton, Jr.	Phyllis V. Beam	Carpenter	Fitzwilliam	Keene
Aug. 4	James Stillman	M	L	5	Fred A. Baldwin	Jessie M. Stone	Trucking	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam
" 27	Jeanette Yvonne	F	L		Wm. H. Alexander	Emma A. DeCota	None	Peterborough	Winchendon, Mass.
" 30	Susan	F	L	2	Russell E. Lane, Jr.	Ruth S. Hill	Machinist	East Swanzey	Hartford, Ct.
Sept. 9	Linda Jean	F	L	2	Eugene R. Lawrence	Loretta F. Pelkey	Carpenter	Jefferson, Vt.	Fairfield, Vt.
Nov. 28	Wayne Roger	M	L	9	Victor R. Dunham	Gladys M. Baldwin	Machine opr.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Fitzwilliam
Dec. 3	Dianna Ruth	F	L	4	Laimo L. Michelson	Saimi S. Lake	Laborer	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam
" 3	Donna Lynn	F	L	1	Robert R. Fisher	Ruth M. Blodgett	Mechanic	Athol, Mass.	Fitzwilliam
" 4	Sheila Margaret	F	L	2	Walter E. Hill	Eleanor M. Delory	Postmaster	Rochester	Irving, Mass.
" 10	Marguerite Isabel	F	L	2	John T. H. Powers	Coral I. McKenna	Physician	New Glasgow, N. S.	Providence, R. I.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Fitzwilliam, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1947

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
1947 Feb. 15	Keene	Leon E. Breton	Fitzwilliam	58	Painter	Winchendon, Ms.	Nazaire Breton Marie Guy	Canada Canada	2d	L F Warren, J P
		Flora Dell LaBarge	Fitzwilliam	34	Housework	E. Windsor, Ct.	Jos. B. Hall Lills French	Turners Fs., Ms. Townshend, Vt.	2d	Keene
Feb. 20	Troy	Ernest S. Eyles	Fitchburg, Ms	20	Machinist	Fitchburg, Ms.	Ernest Eyles, Jr. Cathrine Smith	Wales, Eng. Newton, Ms.	1st	W J Prario, J P
		Helen McA. Haughey	Yonkers, N Y	21	Secretary	Scotland	Wm. Haughey Helen Black	Scotland Scotland	1st	Troy
Mar. 10	Fitzwilliam	Michael J. Oliva	Boston, Ms.	23	Restaurant	New York City	Albert Oliva Virginia Caspestro	Italy New Jersey	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Lucille B. Mailhiot	Boston, Ms.	19	Waitress	Westmore, Vt.	Jos. Mailhiot Maria Malihot	Canada Salmon Falls	1st	Fitzwilliam
Mar. 16	Fitzwilliam	Francis J. Ducharms	N. Brookfield, Ms.	31	Machinist	Florence, Ms.	John Ducharme Mary Duffney	Plattsburg, N. Y. Malone, N. Y.	2d	F F Chase, J P
		Marjorie M. Lyons	N. Brookfield, Ms.	33	Secretary	Springfield, Ms.	Frank McKinnon Marguerite Sackett	Burlington, Vt. Westfield, Mass.	2d	Fitzwilliam
Mar. 29	Keene	Clayton S. Gonyou	Fitzwilliam	36	Upholsterer	Northfield, Vt.	Louis Gonyou Mary E. Fields		2d	Rv G C Williams
		Joyce G. LeBlanc	Fitzwilliam	26	At home	Springfield, Vt.	Leon Goodwin Bertha Nutter	Worcester, Ms. Felchville, Vt.	2d	Keene
May 29	Fitzwilliam	Lynnwood A. Crumb	Royalston, Ms.	35	Grinder	Royalston, Ms.	Lynnwood Crumb Mabel E. Grant	Chaumont, N. Y. Royalston, Ms.	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Mary E. Cook	Royalston, Ms.	22	Shop	Pepperell, Ms.	Levi S. Cook Emily Nichols	Montague, Ms. Irving, Ms.	2d	Fitzwilliam
June 21	Fitzwilliam	George D. Brodeur	Worcester, Ms.	26	Surveyor	Worcester, Ms.	Geo. Brodeur Cora Govette	Worcester, Ms. Worcester, Ms.	1st	F F Chase, J P
		Gladys J. Clark	Worcester, Ms.	33	Sales girl	Worcester, Ms.	Einar Johnson Plean Oslebo	Norway Norway	2d	Fitzwilliam
June 24	Winchendon, Mass.	Wm. H. Alexander	Fitzwilliam	31	Mechanic	Peterborough	Gilbert Anderson Martha Raymo		2d	A F Evans, J P
		Emma A. DeCota	Fitzwilliam	24	Housework	Winchendon, Ms.	David DeCota Mabel Baker		1st	Winchendon, Mass.

*What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd etc.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Fitzwilliam, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1947

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
June 28	Fitzwilliam	Donald W. Patterson	Fitzwilliam	21	Carpenter	Fitzwilliam	Frank Pat'rson, Jr. Ellen V. Anderson	Winchester Sweden	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Irene L. Mattson	Troy	20	Weaver	Troy	John Ingelburg Matilda Parlmen	Finland Finland	2d	Fitzwilliam
July 1	Fitzwilliam	Nelson S. Kiesiner	Worcester, Ms.	39	Chauffeur	Scranton, Pa.	Nelson Kiesiner Elizabeth Achuff	Scranton, Pa. Wilkes Barre, Pa.	2d	F F Chase, J P
		Rose M. Ferraro	Worcester, Ms.	23	Press opr.	Worcester, Ms.	Dominic Ferraro Nellie Florenzo	Italy Italy	1st	Fitzwilliam
Aug. 2	Fitzwilliam	Brownlow T. Stewart	Arlington, Va.	38	Mechanic	Vanndale, Ark.	Lonnie L. Stewart Emma D. Simms	Tiptonville, Tenn Edinburg, Miss.	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Ruth May Byam	Fitzwilliam	22	U. S. N. R. (W)	Lowell, Ms.	Arthur W. Byam Bessie M. Barrett	Winchendon, Ms. Wilton	1st	Fitzwilliam
Aug. 16	Fitzwilliam	Charles Lizotte	Worcester, Ms.	21	Laborer	Worcester, Ms.	Jos. A. Lizotte Susan Jordan	Newbury, Ms.	1st	F F Chase, J P
		Pearl M. Little	Worcester, Ms.	18	At home	Springfield, Ms.	Albert Little Sylvia Appleton	Springfield, Ms. Northampt'n, Ms.	1st	Fitzwilliam
Sept. 2	Fitzwilliam	Lawson E. Cobb	Gardner, Ms.	35	Winder	Gardner, Ms.	Frank Cobb Lizzie Vadenburg	Thomaston, Me. Catskill, N. Y.	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Louise V. Hohn	Washington, D. C.	37	Nurse	Washington, D. C.	John H. Hohn Emma Penny	Germany Dallas, Tex.	1st	Fitzwilliam
Sept. 15	Troy	Robert E. Martens	Sag Harbor, N. Y.	23	Student	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Wm. F. Martens Louise Nentreddler	New York City New York City	1st	Rv O E Gigene
		Barbara A. Goddard	Fitzwilliam	21	Student	New York City	Chas. H. Goddard Ethel M. Jundt	Bristol, R. I. London, Eng.	1st	Troy
Sept. 20	Fitzwilliam	John V. McCarthy	Fitzwilliam	21	Blanket mill	Stoughton, Ms.	John V. McCarthy Helma M. Grier	Walpole, Ms. Finland	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Romona Mae Yon	Fitzwilliam	18	Laundress	Fitzwilliam	Abe P. Yon Mary W. Brown	Fitzwilliam Lawrence, Ms.	1st	Fitzwilliam
Sept. 21	Fitzwilliam	Robert W. Gumb	Methuen, Ms.	26	Student	Methuen, Ms.	Reinfred L. Gumb Elizabeth Hamilton	Lowell, Ms. Nashua	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Virginia Rice	Fitzwilliam	22	Social wkr.	Richmond, Va.	Clinton H. Rice Clara Ames	Chesterfield Hudson, Ms.	1st	Fitzwilliam

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Sept. 15	Fitzwilliam	Clayton S. Gonyou	Fitzwilliam	37	Upholsterer	Northfield, Vt.	Louis Gonyou Mary	Baldwinsv'e, Ms. No. Dakota	2d	F F Chase, J P
		Joyce G. LeBlanc	Fitzwilliam	27	Housekeeper	Springfield, Vt.	Leon Goodwin Bertha Nutter	Worcester, Ms. Felchville, Vt.	2d	Fitzwilliam
Sept. 27	Fitzwilliam	Eldred G. Readel	Norfolk, Ms.	26	Factory wkr.	Walpole, Ms.	Eldred R. Readel Eva Wilson	Norwood, Ms. Framingham, Ms.	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Gladys V. Rawding	Medfield, Ms.	19	At home	Medfield, Ms.	Burton Rawding Gladys Murray	Nova Scotia Clinton, Ms.	1st	Fitzwilliam
Oct. 1	Fitzwilliam	William A. Burns	Fitzwilliam	29	Laborer	Leicester, Ms.	Ira Burns Daisy Willis	Bolton, Vt. Rutland, Ms.	1st	Rv R D Mitchell
		Leone Walker	Fitzwilliam	30	Presser	Rhinelander, Wis	Clayton Walker Jessie Frye	Racine, Wis. Marshfield, Wis.	1st	Fitzwilliam
Oct. 24	Rochester	Bertice F. Holman	Fitzwilliam	44	Salesman	Troy	Walter E. Holman Jennie L. Blodgett	Fitzwilliam Athol, Ms.	2d	Rv E B Luscombe
		Marion E. Holman	Brookfield	45	Ins. agent	Sanbornville	Wm. R. Wentw'th Myrtle Nute	Brookfield Sanbornville	2d	Rochester

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Fitzwilliam, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1947

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	S., M., W.,*	Father.	Mother.		
1947											
Jan. 20	Sandra E. L. Lammela	61	9	29	Finland	F	M	Finland	Finland	John Luopa	Marie Krooka
" 27	Adelard LaPlante	81	9	5	St. Marcel, Can.	M	S	Canada	Unknown	Heberd LaPlante	Unknown
Feb. 1	Susie C. Byam	85	1	14	Fitzwilliam	F	M	Waterville, Vt.	Brandon, N. Y.	Benjamin Potter	Cornelia Chase
" 9	Russell H. Stephens	58	2	19	England	M	M	England	England	Arthur J. Stephens	Susie Stephens
Apr. 8	Victor B. Rosenblad	62	7	7	Finland	M	M	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
" 17	Jeremiah M. Cushing	82	4	3	Claremont	M	M	Unknown	Unknown	Patrick Cushing	Nora Donahue
" 19	Annie M. Flagg	80	3	28	Winchendon, Mass.	F	M	Bradford	Marshfield, Vt.	Calvin Bailey	Hannah Whitcomb
June 18	John J. Williams	60			Finland	M	S				
July 12	Arthur T. Byam	86	11	22	Fitzwilliam	M	W	Fitzwilliam	Massachusetts	Nathan T. Byam	Elizabeth Church
Sept. 13	Mary M. Farinoli	70	10	7	Italy	F	W	Italy	Italy	Fedele Valznatte	Anna M. Boggero
" 18	Ethel M. McDonald	66	6	21	Buxton, Me.	F	M	Buxton, Me.	Buxton, Me.	Wm. H. Palmer	Charlotte L. Berry
Nov. 13	Lizzie A. Holman	88	10	29	Fitzwilliam	F	W	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwillam	David T. Moore	Philinda A. Martin
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1947											
Feb. 27	Bessie M. Bumford	53	10	8	Fitzwilliam	F	M	Fitzwilliam	Boston, Ms.	Arthur E. Hayden	Josephine Matthews
Apr. 16	Oliver R. Darling										
July 4	Walter E. Hayden	64	9	5	Fitzwilliam	M	M	Quincy, Mass.	Fitzwilliam	Albert Hayden	Lizzie Whitcomb
" 24	Belle Jefferson										
Oct. 1	Fred Forristall										
Dec. 19	Walter White										

*Single, married or widowed. **Brought to town for burial.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES F. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

FOREST FIRE PROBLEM SERIOUS

The year 1947 was one of the worst periods of drouth and forest fire occurence in eastern United States history. Lack of water ruined crops lowered water levels and dried up brooks everywhere. Three months of deficient rainfall and abnormally high temperatures resulted in many fires which were mostly well controlled and kept within bounds. Only the high winds beginning on October 23rd caused a few fires to escape beyond immediate control. These few fires resulted in burning some 15,000 acres and the loss of 63 or more buildings in four New Hampshire towns.

All October fires were costly. They burned deeply in the ground and required day and night patrol of large crews of men until the rains came late in October. Towns which escaped from serious fires might easily have been in the midst of the most serious conflagration we had.

Governor Dale closed the woods effective at midnight of October 15th. With the blow-up of October 23rd, a second proclamation closed all back roads and authorized towns to inaugurate patrol. The effect of this was to cut down subsequent fires for the rest of the dry period.

Local fire warden forces performed an admirable job to hold the more than 200 fires that occurred during this October period. Many men were taxed to the utmost as the emergency continued. To them and all those who did their work, the people of New Hampshire owe a debt of gratitude. The state forest fire control agency based on local town wardens and town crews wherever adequately equipped rose to the occasion and met the test in whatever town their services were needed.

It is now time to take stock everywhere of our fire fighting facilities for the season ahead and to make them adequate where necessary. To this end town fire plans and training programs for wardens, deputies and other key men in each district are being arranged or in progress. If equipment and tools are insufficient to properly equip the available man power in each community with the right tools for the job, they should be provided for at once. The yearly addition of fire tools to the town supply will generally need to be built up. The state sells tools to the towns and shares one-half their cost. Good equipment is important and can help greatly to keep both damage and fire costs at a minimum.

For many years we have requested our wardens not to issue burning permits except on rainy days. This regulation will be in effect again this year as it is one of the best means of assuring such fires from getting out of control. Nine out of every ten fires can be prevented, 98 percent of all fires being due to human carelessness. Be sure to get a permit for any fire in or near woodland when the ground is free from snow. Be sure your fires are always out before you leave them. Help us in getting the travelling public to keep from throwing out lighted matches or cigarettes. Be careful of all fires in or near woodland.

F. J. BAKER,
District Chief.

Number of Fires, 10.
Acreage Burned, 126½.
Number of Fire Permits Issued, 62.

CLARENCE M. DAMON,
Forest Fire Warden.